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In Memoriam.

BRADSTREET—In loving memory of Captain Gerald E. Bradstreet, R.E., 13th Division, who fell in Gallipoli, 7th December, 1915, only son of Sir Edward and Lady Bradstreet.

CLANACHAN—In loving memory of James Clanachan, R.I.F., killed, Armentières, 7th December, 1914, late Warder Derry Prison. Inserted by his loving parents.

MORING—Albert Edward Moring, Sergeant-Major, M.P.S.C., late Berks. Regiment, died at Victoria Hospital, Belfast, December 7th, 1918. R.I.P. Sadly missed and never forgotten by his loving wife and children, 4 St. Joseph's square, Clontarf.

O'DRISCOLL—In loving memory of Michael Dennis O'Driscoll, Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.R., H.M.S. Western Queen, who died on 6th December, 1918, at the Dublin Castle Red Cross Hospital. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul.

BIRTHS.

DELANEY—December 2, 1919, at "Alma" Nursing Home, Adelaide rd., Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. James Delaney, 7 North Wall, a daughter (premature).

MOORE—December 5, 1919, at Denmark House, Leeson st., to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore, Harold's Cross (née Horner, Southport), a daughter.

NEWTON—December 4, 1919, at 89 Lower Baggot st., Dublin, to the wife of Captain L. C. Newton, O.B.E., R.A.O.C., a daughter.

SHERIDAN—November 30, 1919, at "The Bohies," Oldcastle, to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sheridan, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CLARKE and McCRAE—November 26, 1919, at the United Free Church of Scotland, Lower Abbey st., by the Rev. Wm. Proctor, William T. Clarke, 59 Market st., Lurgan, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Clarke, Carranree, Dromard, Co. Sligo, to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Wm. McCrae, Berkeley rd., Dublin.

JONES and WEST—December 3, 1919, at Newtownbutler Methodist Church, by Captain the Rev. J. Sanderson, C.F., assisted by Rev. W. M. Wilson, Robert Alexander, eldest son of the late A. Jones, Warrenpoint, to Lily, third daughter of the late J. West and Mrs. West, Feaugh House, Newtownbutler.

SHIPLEY and GRAVES—December 3, 1919, at the Abbey Church, Waterford, by the Rev. G. Greene, Dean of Lismore, assisted by the Rev. F. Hatch, Rector of the Parish, Conway W. Carew Shipley, 24th Regiment, only son of Brigadier-General and Mrs. Shipley, to Madge, only daughter of the late Anthony Elly Graves, of Rockenham, Waterford.

STAFFORD and STOREY—At New York City, John Wesley Stafford, of New York, to Marion Evelyn, youngest daughter of Frederick Storey, of Monasterevan, Co. Kildare.

TOBIN and LAWLER—November 26, 1919, at the Parish Church, Tullaherin, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. C. McNamara, P.P., assisted by the Rev. T. O'Meara, P.P., Mullinahone; Rev. E. O'Donnell, Thurles College; Rev. T. Gibbons, C.C., Ballybricken; and Rev. J. Loughrey, C.C., Thomastown—George, younger son of the late James Tobin, St. Patrick's tce., Blackrock, Cork, to Josephine, youngest daughter of the late James Lawler and Mrs. Lawler, Bishopslough, Co. Kilkenny.

DEATHS.

CORDNER—December 5, 1919, in London, of pneumonia, Robert A. Cordner, C.E., late P.W.D., India.

HANLON—December 4, 1919, Ellen Hanlon, of 1 Oranto place, Sandycove, Co. Dublin, widow of the late George Oldham Hanlon. Funeral private.

McCORMICK—December 4, 1919, at 36 George's st., Drogheda, Mrs. Lena McCormick (née Reilly). R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

NICHOLSON—December 3, 1919, at Killeaden House, Kiltimagh, Elspeth, widow of the late James Nicholson, and eldest daughter of the late George Rutherford, Trim Castle, Hollymount. Funeral, 1 o'clock, to-day (Saturday) at Kilmaine.

IN MEMORIAM.

GARDE-ROBINSON—In ever-loving memory of my dearly-loved darling child, Violet, who died December 6th, 1918. "And the sun sank, and the shadows fell on all the paths—until we meet again."

LOWRY—In affectionate remembrance of our dear mother, Frances Lowry, who died at 9 Winton rd., Rathgar, on 6th December, 1914. Inserted by her children.

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In the distribution of the Estate regard will be had only to claims received before the 7th day of January, 1920.
Dated this 3rd December, 1919.
M. CARTAN O'MEARA, Solicitor for the Executrix, 44 Kildare street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
CHARLES TEELING WATERS, late of 60 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, B.L., Registrar of the Admiralty Court, Ireland, died 30th September, 1919.
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In the distribution of the Estate regard will be had only to claims received before the 7th January, 1920.
Dated this 3rd December, 1919.
M. CARTAN O'MEARA, Solicitor, 44 Kildare street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
ISIDORE ANTHONY HICKSON, late of 23 Clyde road, in the County of Dublin, Esquire, Deceased, died 1st September, 1919.
Any claims against the above should be sent within one month from the date hereof to the undersigned Solicitor for M. Carton O'Meara, of 44 Kildare street, Dublin, Solicitor, and Charles Crean, of Ballyhaunis, Co. Mayo, M.D., Executors, to whom Probate was granted on the 13th day of October, 1919.
In the distribution of the Estate regard will be had only to the claims received before the 7th January, 1920.
Dated this 3rd December, 1919.
M. CARTAN O'MEARA, Solicitor for the Executors, 44 Kildare street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
ISIDORE ANTHONY HICKSON, late of 23 Clyde road, in the County of Dublin, Esquire, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 54, that Isidore Anthony Hickson, who died on the 1st September, 1919, by his Will dated 4th February, 1914, directed his Executors and Trustees to transfer out of the sum of £1,000 5 per cent. Debenture Stock Brazil Railway £100 of said stock to each of the following:—
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Dated this 3rd December, 1919.
M. CARTAN O'MEARA, Solicitor, for the Executors, 44 Kildare street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
PATRICK DOYLE, late of Summerhill Dispensary, in the County of the City of Dublin, Relieving Officer, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise having any claim or demand against the estate of the above-named Patrick Doyle, Deceased, who died on or about the 25th day of July, 1919, are hereby required, on or before the 15th day of January, 1920, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claim or demand to the undersigned Solicitors for Revd. John Joseph Doyle, of Celbridge, in the County of Kildare, the Administrator of the personal estate and effects of said Deceased, to whom Administration of the said estate and effects was granted on the 17th day of November, 1919, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate). And Notice is hereby further given that the said Administrator will after that date proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 5th day of December, 1919.
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In the Goods of
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Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the assets of the Deceased, who died on the 28th day of October, 1919, are hereby required on or before the 6th day of January next, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor of the Deceased; and in default thereof Deceased's assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished.
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WANTED

CHAUFFEUR Groom, indoor, single, Wanted, drive Ford car, mind horse and trap, generally useful; send references, wages asked.—Pennefather, Marlow, Goolds Cross. A

MOTOR Mechanic and Foreman Wanted; permanent job to good men.—"Z 2565, Mechanics," this office. 11 26

WANTED, Chauffeur, unmarried, Protestant. Apply Sir William Mahon, Castlegar, Ahascragh. F

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BUTCHER Wanted for good House, West of Ireland; state wages and experience.—"Z 2808, Butcher," this office.

BOY Wanted for Insurance Office; state age.—K 810, this office. A

BREAD Room Clerk—Wanted, smart Junior; state age, experience, and copies last references.—K 926, this office.

BOY Wanted for Accountant's Office; good writer, well educated, and quick at figures.—K 1004, this office.

BOY, with previous Office experience, Wanted as Typist; state wages.—K 984, this office. A

BAGGOT st. and Pembroke Township—Advertisements for this Paper can be handed in at our Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge, up to 8 p.m. daily (Saturdays excepted) in time for insertion in following day's Paper. X

BRANCH Manager required for Grocery and Provision Shop, South of Ireland, as from the 1st February, 1920.—"Z 2457, Manager," this office. X

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COMPANION, R.C., Wanted, good home, country; husband and wife only; state references, wages.—K 872, this office.

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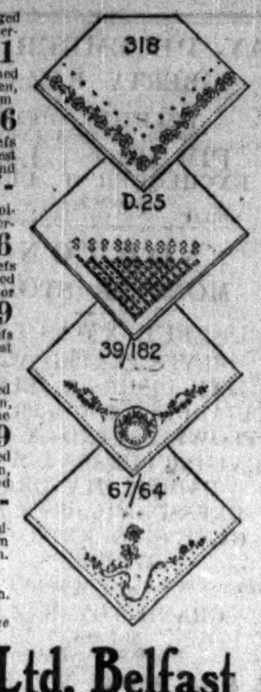

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HOUSEKEEPER Wanted for Priest; respectable person who can cook; must be well recommended. K 943, this office.

JUNIOR Clerk—The Irish Drapers' Assistants' Association require a Clerk, with about 5 or 6 years' countinghouse or office experience; preference will be given to members of the Association. Applications, in own handwriting, stating number of years' experience, age, and salary required, to be sent to the General Secretary, Cavendish House. F

JUNIOR Clerk—Boy Wanted, city office; state commencing wages, reference, etc.—K 957, this office. F

JUNIOR Clerk required immediately for Wholesale City Merchant's Office; youth about 20 years of age, with some previous experience, might suit. Apply, with copies references, salary, K 998, this office. C

LEDGER Clerk Wanted in City Office, also an Invoice Clerk; both must have good experience and be well recommended; state age, salary, and full particulars past and present employment.—K 852, this office. A

LADY Bookkeeper required by McCann and Hill, Ltd., Drogheda; must be fully competent to take charge of books and draw up balance for Chartered Auditors.

LADY Superintendent required in established company; salary and generous commission; qualification £150 in shares; highest references required and furnished.—K 1031, this office.

MONEY-MAKING Work offered; whole of spare time; particulars, also pocket rubber stamp of your name and address free.—Richford, Ltd., Snow Hill, London. 8 28

MANUFACTURING Firm in City require smart boy just leaving school, or one with a little experience, as Junior in Office. Apply, in own handwriting, stating age and salary expected, K 527, this office. F

MOTHER'S Help (Protestant) required to assist officer's wife with two young children; live in or daily; good wages. Apply, giving full particulars, "Z 2827, Help," this office. A

MASTERPIECE Picture Theatre requires experienced girl as Cashier.

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SECRETARY required for an organising post in established company; salary and generous commission; qualification £150 in shares; highest references required and furnished.—K 1032, this office.

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USEFUL Help needed for North Wales, Protestant; slight attendance on elderly invalid lady; sleep in room at night; middle aged person preferred; must be well recommended; salary £24. Reply, with copies testimonials, to "Z 2530, Help," this office. F

WANTED, Working Sawmill Foreman, who thoroughly understands the conversion of all classes of native Timber and management of men; state experience and salary required.—"Z 2607, Foreman," this office. F

WANTED for a quiet country place, young Gentlewoman to assist mother and daughter in running a country house; no rough work; three in family.—"Z 2729, Woman," this office. B

WANTED, young Lady Assistant for Hardware Department. Apply Price's Stores, Moore st. F

WANTED, two fully trained Nurses for Private Nursing Home; good salary and commission; state when at liberty. Apply Sister Hennessy, Sharples Hall Nursing Home, Bolton, England. F

WOULD Lady, young, R.C. undertake General Work, country house, near Dublin; help with two kiddies; every consideration shown.—K 736, this office. F

WANTED, experienced Man as Charge of Wholesale Millinery Dept.—K 867, this office. F

WANTED, thoroughly experienced Girl to take charge of Trimmed Millinery Department, Wholesale Warehouse.—K 868, this office. F

WANTED, smart Girl to take charge of Children's Department (Wholesale).—K 869, this office. F

WANTED, capable Man to take charge of Hosiery Department (Wholesale); must have had experience.—K 870, this office. F

WANTED, smart Commercial Clerk for Manufacturer's Office, near Dublin; must be quick at figures; one accustomed to wages preferred; Lady not objected to if capable. State age, and salary required, to "Z 2795, Clerk," this office. F

WANTED, Lady Help, care one child 3½ years old; good wages; comfortable home, good salary. Apply Mrs. Gotto, St. Alban's, Dalkey. X

WANTED, capable Assistant, Grocery and Provisions, Flour, Meal, etc.—Cummins, Ltd., Roscrea. C

WANTED, young Girl as Telephone Operator; must have first class references.—K 570, this office. F

WANTED, Housekeeper, and to take charge of small dairy; elderly woman; send references.—"Z 2856, Housekeeper," this office. F

WANTED, Useful Help; two in family; no other girl.—"Z 2870, Help," this office. F

WANTED, at once, experienced young Lady for Hosiery and Underclothing; enclose references and salary expected (outdoor).—Morgan Bros., Armagh. A

WANTED, a Lady (I.C.) to help mother to look after two young children and assist in usual household duties, small country place near Dublin; two maids kept; send photograph and all other particulars; salary £25-£35.—K 952, this office.

WAITRESS, thoroughly experienced, Wanted for Salthill Hotel. Apply 48 Dawson st. A

YOUNG Girl Wanted for Office in city; state age, where educated, and salary expected.—"Z 2784, Girl," this office. F

YOUNG Lady Assistant Wanted for Hardware and Chandlery Stores; permanent; must have experience.—49 Talbot st. F

YOUNG Lady Assistant Wanted for Christmas trade, Sweets and Toys.—Hamilton's, 17a Rathmines terrace. F

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

EMPIRE Automatic Petrol Economiser—Sole Agents Wanted for Great Britain and abroad. Call or write New Motor Speciality Co., Ltd., 113 Oxford st., London, W. 1.

FIRM of Cork Merchants require Agents; good terms to able salesmen with influence amongst Bottlers.—"Z 2810, Agent," this office. B

REAL Live Man Wanted for any County in Ireland, with connection in Drapery Trade and security; commission basis; live men can make £10 weekly. Apply by letter, National Manufacturers' Agency, 5 South Frederick st., Dublin. F

TRAVELLERS Wanted, calling on any of the following: Engineers, Motor Garages, Hardware Merchants, Chemists, Mill Owners, Drapers, Confectioners, Booksellers; commission only. Apply K 1036, this office.

WANTED, an Agent on commission for South of Ireland by an old established Firm of Lubricating Grease Manufacturers; applicants must have good connections with machinery users and garages. Address "Z 2792, Agent," this office. C

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WANTED, smart Lady or Gentleman Canvasser for city, to push a delicious Thick Sauce, 50 per cent. cheaper than any on market; good commission. Write Irish Agent, 8 Manor st.

AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED.

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LEGAL.

LADY Typist Shorthand Writer, ten years' experience in solicitor's office, excellent references, desires Change; salary £2 10/- weekly.—"Z 2708, Typist," this office.

LAW Clerk—Disengaged competent Assistant, books and costs drawer.—K 819, this office. B

WANTED, a smart Law Clerk, of good address, with at least six or seven years' general experience of country Solicitor's Office; good position for energetic man; state religion and salary expected.—"Z 2890, Clerk," this office. B

MEDICAL.

APPRENTICE Wanted for Pharmaceutical, indoor. Apply J. J. Cosgrove, Chemist, Newbridge, Co. Kildare.

CHEMIST'S Assistant seeks situation, city or country; well recommended.—"Z 2718, Assistant," this office. F

DUBLIN Dentist has vacancy for Apprentice in Workroom.—K 659, this office.

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PHARMACEUTICAL—Wanted Junior Assistant (outdoor); state age, religion, salary, and send copies references. Also Apprentice (indoor); state religion and send copies references.—"Z 2753, Assistant," this office. B

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist open to engagement, age 26.—"Z 2778, Chemist," this office. A

WANTED to Purchase, Medical Hall as Going Concern, city; usual particulars.—K 825, this office.

WANTED by a Dublin Medical Hall, a competent Assistant.—K 849, this office.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

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CLERK, demobilised, six years office experience before war, knowledge French and German, wants post in city.—K 557, this office. F

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HOUSEKEEPER Companion, elderly Protestant Widow; cook, sick nurse, needlewoman; small salary. K 589, this office. A

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LADY Bookkeeper, four years' experience; first class references; Dublin preferred.—"Z 2773, Clerk," this office. A

LADY would like position as Housekeeper to single gentleman or widower.—396, Irish Times Office, Ranelagh. F

LADY Shorthand Typist desires post; some experience; disengaged.—"Z 2819, Typist," this office. B

LADY Bookkeeper, 7 years' experience, seeks situation; highly recommended; midlands preferred.—"Z 2862, Bookkeeper," this office. O

LADY will highly recommend most respectable active young Woman as Housekeeper, good plain cook; for business house; city preferred.—K 972, this office. O

LADY would go as Companion to lady or Nurse Companion to invalid lady; excellent reference.—K 1017, this office. F

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RESPECTABLE Boy wishes Employment.—K 1085, this office.

TRAINED London Nurse, experienced, desires work in Dublin after Christmas; private case preferred. Address "Z 2777, Nurse," this office. F

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WANTED, January, by Lady, a position as Companion, where maid is kept; I.C.—K 702, this office. F

WANTED, position of trust, middle aged Protestant; experienced overseer, handy with own tools; excellent reference.—K 713, this office. A

YOUNG Girl, with experience, requires a situation as Junior Clerk.—K 915, this office. F

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CHARGE for Advertisements under this Heading—12 words, 9d.; every successive word, 1d. To those seeking employment four insertions allowed for price of three.

COFFEE Room Waiter Wanted. Apply Royal Hibernian Hotel.

FIRST and Second Footmen required; £40 and £28; no boy kept; excellent place for good servants.—"Z 2820, Footman," this office. A

GROOM Coachman Wanted for country place; married man. Apply, stating wages, etc., to Judge Wakely, Ballybarly, Edenderry King's Co. B

GENERAL Man Wanted, usual work about Rectory, garden, and grounds; lodge or indoor. State age, terms, and references to "Z 2811, Man," this office. A

GROOM Wanted, near Maynooth; single; care hunters; good rider; sober; well recommended; make himself generally useful; send copies discharges, age, weight, wages.—"Z 2839, Groom," this office. A

GROOM Gardener Wanted immediately, able to ride, care of garden.—"Z 2855, Groom," this office. B

GARDENER Wanted (indoor), generally useful.—Mr. Levin, Goldenbridge House, Inchicore. F

GROOM Coachman Wanted, single; send copies discharges, stating age, wages expected.—Captain Burke, Ballydugan, Loughrea, Galway. C

HOTEL—Thoroughly experienced Chef required for first class hotel; permanency. Apply, with full particulars, "Z 2891, Chef," this office. A

PANTRY Boy Wanted, December 23rd. Send copies, state wages, Mrs. Cane, St. Wolstan's, Celbridge, Co. Kildare. F

STRAPPER Wanted, to live in; wages £35 a year. Apply, with references, to Major Murdock, Kilcoran, Cahir, Co. Tipperary. F

UNDERKEEPER, married; must understand all keeper's duties; wage 22/- per week, house, garden, and allowance of firing.—"Z 2855, Underkeeper," this office. A

WANTED, Groom Coachman. Apply, stating age and terms, with copies of discharges, Purcell-Gilpin, Dollardstown, Kilcock. 10 1

WANTED first class Gardener, to conduct garden on business lines; expert at forcing, propagating, bedding stuff, mushrooms, fruit trees.—"Z 2723, Gardener," this office. F

WANTED, Groom General, single, Protestant (indoor, all found, Co. Kildare); capable break and school young horses, care brood mares, ride well, and a good strapper. Send copies last three discharges, stating age, weight, and wages required, and if any knowledge motors, to Box 1205, Eason's Advertising Agency, Sackville st., Dublin. F

WANTED, 1st January, Second Footman; Protestant; good wages; hall boy kept; copies discharges.—Butler, Cairndhu, Larne. A

WANTED, Herd, experienced; wife good laundress.—"Z 2804, Herd," this office. B

WANTED, General Man; must be good milker; 15 shillings a week (indoor); must be recommended.—William Smyth, Berryfield, Enniskerry, County Wicklow. A

WANTED, Foreman Gardener; gate lodge; near Dublin; state wages and all particulars.—"Z 2840, Gardener," this office. A

WANTED, experienced Inside Foreman Gardener, also Journeyman; Protestants. Apply, with copies, wages expected, etc., "Z 2835, Gardener," this office. A

WANTED at once, Ploughman Carter for Co. Dublin; standard wages paid and house free; man who would take charge if wanted.—K 945, this office. A

WANTED, married Man, General farm work; must be good ploughman.—Owenstown, Dundrum, Co. Dublin. F

WANTED, Co. Tipperary, experienced Working Gardener; married; milk one cow.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. F

WANTED for King's County, Protestant Man and Wife as Indoor Man Servant and Cook; trustworthy; £30 each; references.—"Z 2866, Man," this office. B

WANTED, good Stableman; must understand horses, milk, and make himself generally useful; good wages. Apply Jackson, Mount Pleasant, Nenagh. A

MALES DISENGAGED.

AN excellent Protestant Butler would take job for month or longer, singlehanded or with footman.—K 1064, this office. A

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GARDENER (Head Working), thoroughly experienced fruit, flowers, vegetables, inside, outside.—"Z 2778, Gardener," this office. A

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A SUPERIOR Cook General Wanted, seaside, near Dublin; must have long and satisfactory discharges; very small family; good home and good wages; permanent. Apply K 707, this office.

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WANTED, a Girl (R.C.) to train as Cook General country place, near Dublin; some experience housework; good wages to good worker. Reply, enclosing copies references, K 935, this office.

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WANTED, an experienced Cook General for business house in the suburbs, all apartments on the flat; no scrubbing or washing; must be well recommended; wages £25, enclose copy of references.—K 1076, this office. B

GENERALS WANTED.

BRAY—Wanted, General Servant, small family; untrained taken.—349, Irish Times Office, Bray. A

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WANTED, General, after 8th inst.—12 Villiers road, Rathgar.

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Where it is desired that gifts take a practical and useful form, the Hosiery Department offers a wide choice of acceptable gifts.

Crochet Bed Jackets, as illustration, White with coloured borders, from 18/9 each.

Shetland and "Orenburg" Shawls of very fine wool; warm, but light. White only, 3/11 to 16/9, according to size.

Knitted Jackets of fine wool for house wear or wearing under coats. Many good shades to choose from 12/9. Jackets as illustration, 15/9 and 19/6.

Smart designs in the new Sports Stockings, which includes a large selection in the leading tweed shades.

Fleecy Home-knitted Sleeping Socks, very cosy, in White, Sky, and Pink, 4/9 per pair.

Write for Switzer's Christmas catalogue.

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Smartly-cut and daintily embroidered. Many other styles are on view in the department.

Dainty Muslin Tea Aprons, 4/11 each.

Pretty White Embroidered Muslin Aprons, 6/6 each.

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Pretty Tea Aprons, trimmed with lace, 6/6 each.

New French Embroidered Overall, with large front pockets, beautiful combination of colours, 25/- each.

Neat Overalls of best quality Casement cloth, Saxe, Navy, and Brown. Special value, 12/6.

Extra smart Overalls, of good Casement, with black patent leather belt and black buttons, in Green, Grey, Navy, Champagne, Nigger, Amethyst, Black, Butcher. Special, 18/11.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs

Beautifully fine hand-embroidered veined Handkerchiefs of pure linen, 4/11 each.

Dainty hand-embroidered Sheer Linen Handkerchiefs, 3/10 each.

Dainty Irish Crochet edged and veined Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 2/8 each.

Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs effectively hand-embroidered, trimmed Irish Crochet, 6/9 each.

Charming Lace-edged Handkerchiefs, embroidered on linen, shamrock design 4/6½ each.

Hand-drawn Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs of good quality, 3/6 each.

Ladies' Pure Linen Hemstitched Initial Handkerchiefs, 6/6 per ½ doz. box.

Our famous Monogram Handkerchiefs on pure linen, 3/9 per ½ doz. box.

Effectively embroidered and veined Mull Handkerchiefs. 15/- per doz.

Dainty lace-edged and veined Mull Handkerchiefs, 10/6 per doz.

Scalloped edged and embroidered Mull Handkerchiefs of dainty design, 17/6 per doz.

Fine Mull Initial Handkerchiefs, 7/6 per doz.

Dainty Hemstitched Cornered Handkerchiefs, veined and embroidered in Mull, 11/6 per doz.

Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs in pure Irish linen, 7/6, 8/6, 10/6, 12/6, to 30/- per doz.

Gentlemen's Coloured Border Handkerchiefs—The "Buffalo," 10/- per doz.; "Excelda," 15/- per doz.; the new "Sefton" Fabric Handkerchiefs, 10/6 per doz.

LADIES' GLOVES

That are made from the finest materials by the best skilled workers, and reach the highest standard of excellency in style, fit, and quality.

A choice selection of Fur-back Gloves, in Electric Seal, Musquash Beaver, Nutria, Jap Hare Opossum, etc. from 27/6 to 8 Gns. per pair.

Finest French Kid and Suede Evening Gloves, in 8, 12, 16, 20, and 24 button lengths, best quality, from 10/6 to 35/6 per pair.

Kid and Suede Gloves, reliable and perfect fitting, in Champagne, White, Tan, Slate, Beaver, and Black, 8/11, 10/6, 12/6, 13/6 per pair.

Best French Pique Suede Gloves, silk-lined, pull-on wrist strap, 5-button length, Black, Fawn, Brown, 18/9 per pair.

Mocha and Doeskin Gloves, specially selected soft, pliable skins, pique sewn, Tan, Brown, Beaver, Slate, and Black, 9/11, 10/6, 12/6, 14/9, 16/9 per pair.

Sensible Gifts for Gentlemen

The large choice of Useful Gifts in Gentlemen's High-class Wear listed below represents only a few of the many suitable Presents for Gentlemen our Christmas Catalogue will reveal.

GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES. Tan and Grey Doeskin Gloves, fur lined, 30/6.

Cape Gloves, 1 but., unlined, 12/6 to 21/-.

Cape Gloves, 1 but., wool lined, from 17/6.

Tan and Grey Doe Gloves, unlined, 12/6, 15/6, 21/- per pair.

Yellow Chamois Gloves, hand sewn, 15/6.

Woollen Gloves in great variety, white, brown, grey, etc., 3/6, 4/6, 5/6, 7/6, 8/11 per pair.

Yellow String Gloves, and Black, 7/6.

Fur-backed Gloves and Gauntlets in great variety, from 29/6 to £8 10s. 0d. per pair.

Leather Gauntlet Gloves, unlined, from 21/- per pair.

Cape Leather Gauntlet Gloves, wool lined, 27/6 to 35/-.

GENTLEMEN'S SOCKS. Fancy Cashmere Socks, in great variety, from 4/11 to 7/6 per pair.

GENTLEMEN'S WOOLLEN JACKETS. with sleeves and pockets, 2 pockets Shetland Wool, Cashmere, Cardigans, etc., in good self colours, 29/6 to £5.

DRESSING GOWNS. Dressing Gowns and Smoking Jackets, a variety of smart designs and high-class materials, from 55/- to 4 Gns.

PYJAMAS. Durable Silk Pyjamas in Blue, Pink, Mauve, and Stripes, 45/-, 55/- each.

Flannel Pyjamas, winter weight, in smart stripes, 27/6.

Ceylon Flannel Pyjamas, narrow stripes, Black and White, Blue and White, Pink and White, 21/-.

All Wool Pyjamas, heavy weight, wide stripes, in Pink, Blue, Mauve, 45/- per suit.

BLACK AND BROWN CALF SLIPPERS, lined wool, or unlined, from 19/6.

Gentlemen's Camel Fleece Bedroom Slippers, 7/6.

GENTLEMEN'S SOFT FELT HATS, by the leading makers, Smooth and Velour finished, in Grey, Fawn, Brown, and Champagne, from 10/6 to 50/-.

WOOLLEN SCARVES, in Fawn, Khaki, and colours from 8/11 to 45/-.

SILK KNITTED SCARVES Striped, white or plain colours, 45/- to 50/-.

MERCERISED SILK, in white and colours, 10/6 to 21/- each.

SILK SQUARES, white and coloured, various designs, from 7/6 to 21/-.

COLLARS, in all the new shapes, soft and stiff, 12/- doz.

WELL-CUT SHIRTS. Pure Silk Shirts, in Cream, and Cream with Black and Blue Stripes, plain wristbands, 29/6 each.

Best quality All Silk Taffeta Shirts, in Plain Cream, Light Blue and Striped Black and Cream, Pink and Cream, Blue and Cream, single wristbands, to button or for links. Each, 37/6.

HANDKERCHIEFS. White Silk Handkerchiefs, from 2/6 to 8/6.

Silk Handkerchiefs, plain colours, hemstitched, 3/11 to 6/6.

Silk Handkerchiefs, plain colours, hemmed, 4/6, 5/11.

Fancy Silk and Crepe-Chine Handkerchiefs, large size, in various designs, 5/11 to 10/6 each.

NECKTIES. Silk Ties, in plain and fancy colours, 2/6, 3/6, 5/6.

Irish Poplin Ties, 2/11, 3/11.

UMBRELLAS. Good reliable covers, crook handles, plain or mounted, 10/9 to 49/6.

GENTLEMEN'S BLACK BOX CALF BOOTS, medium and stout soles, 38/-, 48/-, 55/-, and 82/-. Brown Calf, from 50/-. Half sizes and fittings.

Beautiful Specimens of French Ribbon Work

Comprising richly Decorated Pin Cushions, Trinket Boxes, Manicure Sets, Hair Tidies, Puff Boxes, etc., any of which will make a pleasing addition to a lady's toilet table.

563.—Hair Tidy, beautifully trimmed with Old Gold Lace and Floral sprays. Price 7/6.

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570.—Pretty Pin Cushion and Powder Box combined, fitted with puff and mirror in lid. Price 4/6.

561.—Richly Decorated Pin Cushion in Old Gold Lace and Fruit designs, various shades. Price 21/-.

564.—Pretty Trinket or Jewel Box, lined padded silk, various designs, 8/6, 11/9, 17/6 each.

572.—Powder Box, exquisitely decorated with Old Gold trimming and Floral or Fruit decorations, containing powder puff. Price 18/6 each.

568.—Charming Boxes for Gloves, Handkerchiefs, etc., richly decorated, trimmed Old Gold Lace, Floral and Fruit designs, lined silk, in various colourings, 21/-, 27/6, 35/- to 90/- each.

569.—Exquisitely pretty Pin Cushion, with Old Gold Lace and Fruit decorations. Price 21/-.

567.—Pretty and Useful Pin Cushion and Trinket Box. Price 12/6.

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Dress & Blouse Lengths of all the newest and most fashionable materials in dainty printed wrappers "With the Compliments of the Season," including—

Shantung and Taffeta Dress Lengths in Rose, Saxe, Grey, Brown Helio, Green, at 14/6 per length. Poplinette, in a range of dainty shades, from 17/6 per length.

Cambric, in dark and light grounds, spots, stripes, and chevron patterns, fast colours, and best quality only, 8/11, 9/11, 10/6 per length.

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"PIONEER" IRISH LACE DEPOT, 44 MARY STREET, DUBLIN.

"IRISH Lace" Christmas Dainties, from 2/6.—Pioneer Irish Lace Depot, 44 Mary st., Dublin.

LOVELY Dark Green Ninon and Velvet Evening Dress, trimmed gold.—Mrs. Lenehan, 40 Dawson street.

LADY'S Irish Tweed Coat, 3 gns.; small size; ditto Costume, tailormade, good condition, 3½ gns.; seen Rathmines.—K 1055, this office.

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MINK Marmot Coat, medium figure, £9.—K 993, this office.

MUSQUASH Tie and Muff, perfect, £3 to immediate purchaser.—109, Irish Times Office, Blackrock.

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WANTED, Gent's Black Riding Boots, size 9; also Riding Crop. Apply "Z 2788, Boots," this office.

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YOUTH'S Dinner Suit in perfect condition, fit 14-15 years; Dancing Pumps, size 7; £2 10/-; also [illegible]—B O 279, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

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AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk. Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques; prompt cash.

ABOUT Furniture—Highest cash offer made by Keogh and Co. Auctioneers, Bachelor's Walk, for Furniture, Silver Plate, China, and Pianos.

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COTTAGE Piano, iron frame, for Sale.—397, Irish Times Office, Ranelagh.

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GRAMOPHONE Records for Sale, little used, 17 celebrity, Caruso and others, two guineas.—White, Portobello.

GRAMOPHONE Records, H.M.V.; Zonophone, Regal Columbia, etc.; 1/9 each.—K 1014, this office.

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WANTED, Dining Table, walnut or mahogany; [illegible]

WANTED, a good Secondhand Piano; no dealers.—"Z 2854, Piano," this office.

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AT T. J. Callaghan and Co., Ltd., 13 to 16 Dame st.—Horse Clothing and all Stable Requisites; moderate prices.

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COB Mare, 14 hands, Ralli, and Harness, £36, separated.—Godkin, Saddlers, Kingstown.

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DONKEY Trap for Sale.—Scally's Factory, Kingstown.

FOR Sale, Pony, 7 years old, Market Spring Van and Harness; lot £48. Apply Hollywood, Dundrum, or 'phone Dundrum, 63.

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HARNESS for Gig, Cob, and Pony, also Cart Harness, cheap.—Smith's, Saddlers, 93 Marlborough street, Dublin.

HANDSOME Cob, 14.3, Round Trap and Harness, perfect condition, for Sale.—Glynn, The Lodge, Moone, Ballitore.

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RUBBER Tyres, all sizes, fitted at short notice.—The City Wheel Works, Ltd., Great Brunswick st.

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WHEELS Re-rubbered and despatched same day as received.—Slye's, Mabbot lane, Dublin.

WANTED, to Hire, one Pony and Trap for two hours two days weekly, to drive out invalid; state terms.—K 914, this office.

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A MASSIVE Bulgarian Hound (rare specimen); would protect life or property.—25 Tram Cottages, Phibsborough.

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BEAUTIFUL Fox and Irish Terriers, highly pedigreed, males.—177 North Circular road.

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COWS for Sale, Dexters and Kerries.—K 878, this office.

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COUGHING Calves—The Veterine House Drench, a perfect cure; [illegible]—H. Bell, Quay (62), Waterford.

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DACHSHUNDS—Handsome pair for Sale, pedigree, unrelated. [illegible]

ECZEMA in Dogs Cured by Watson, Veterinary Chemist, Howth; bottles, 3/6 post free.

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GOOD Goat, due kid first week March.—G 43, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

HANDSOME Blue Terrier Dog, 2 years, first £2.—Dennis Leslie, Listowel, Kerry.

IRISH Terrier Pups, superb heads, coats, colour, bone.—[illegible]

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KERRY Cows and Heifers, calving immediately.—Steward, Newmarket Court, Newmarket, County Cork.

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RED Setter Pedigree Puppies, of famous strain, nearly six months. Apply "Z 2853, Dogs," this office.

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SELL cheap—Adult, unrelated pairs, Blue Beverens, [illegible]—Apply 7 Dunville terrace, Bray.

SALE, Irish Setter, splendid four months Dog Pup of noted champion, bench and field trial strain.—"Z 2651, Dog," this office.

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WANTED, Black Field Spaniel Bitch, pedigreed, under 6 months, or Cocker, with long ears, without white.—"Z 2779, Spaniel," this office.

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WANTED, good Home for 2 lovely Kittens; one very fine, half Persian, splendid coat and ruff; one all black, smooth coat; very good strain.—47 Palmerston road, Rathmines.

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ALL Professional Prelims. and University Entrances; Oral and Correspondence. Success list and particulars, McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville st., Dublin.

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WANTED, in January, Resident Master to teach either Mathematics or Classics. Apply to the Head Master, Kilkenny College.

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25, 26, 27 CORNMARKET, Business Premises and Houses, Auction 11th December.—Battersby, Auctioneers.

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE

FOR SALE the EXTENSIVE PREMISES, 39 RUTLAND SQUARE. Let at £93 8s. 0d. per annum, exclusive of taxes. Subject to Head Rent of £5 19s. 1d. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION may be arranged. Apply O'KEEFFE'S ADVERTISING AGENCY, 10 D'Olier street.

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EXECUTOR'S Sale—15 and 16 Grenville terrace, South Circular road, two Cottage Style Houses, each containing four apartments; let at £24 each; ground rent, £5 (two); lease 900 years.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 12th December, 79 Talbot st., Salerooms.

EXECUTOR'S Sale—Inisfallen Parade, 22, 23, 24, 25, four one-storeyed Cottages, situated just off Lower Dorset st., each four apartments; ground rent £8 the lot; lease 900 years; each let at 7/6 weekly.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 12th December, Salerooms, 79 Talbot st.

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EXECUTOR'S Sale—7, 8, and 9 Lomond avenue, Fairview; 3 nicely-designed modern houses, containing sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, with close range, bath (h. and c.), garden front and rear; No. 7 let at £33; No. 8 let at £40; No. 9 let at £34; head rent on lot, £16 10/-; lease 890 years.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 12th December, Salerooms, 79 Talbot st.

FARM for Sale, Co. Wicklow, Farmhouse, buildings, 324 acres; price only £1,200.—1149, Rutters, Norfolk st., Strand, London.

FOR Sale, Modern House, Sandymount, 7 apartments, h. and c. bath, w.c.; possession if required; £500, or nearest offer.—K 974, this office.

GREYSTONES—For Sale by Private Treaty, per this account, Bungalow Cottage, centrally situated, two minutes from railway, containing 2 sitting, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, bath (c.), w.c., kitchen; enclosed yard at rear, with coalhouse and bicycle shed; an ideal dwellinghouse, either for residential purposes or as a lodging establishment or tea rooms; there is a large garden in front; a very lucrative boarding business has been carried on here for a number of years; at present let, but possession could possibly be arranged; lease 165 years unexpired; head rent £5.—Rochfort Doyle, Auctioneer, Greystones. 'Phone 32.

GREYSTONES—Extensive Yards, in central position, suitable for Motor Garage, Building Contractor, or Coal Yard; concrete building, 60ft. x 14ft., with spacious loft over; also large open sheds; the entire yard is walled in, and has entrance to main road; lease 165 years; head rent £5.—Rochfort Doyle, Auctioneer, Greystones. 'Phone 32.

GREYSTONES—Two storeyed semi detached Villa Residence, with possession, Furnished or Unfurnished (2 bay windows); containing 3 sitting, 6 bedrooms, 1 maid's, bath, h. and c., 2 w.c.'s, kitchen, pantry, scullery, hot air press; electric light throughout; yard at rear, with bicycle and coal sheds; garden front and rear; about two minutes from rail; lease 165 years unexpired; head rent £5. Further particulars, apply Rochfort Doyle, Auctioneer, Greystones. 'Phone 32.

HOUSE for Sale, Fairview; rent £37, free; let monthly tenancy.—K 931, this office.

HOUSE, semi detached, for Sale, with possession; recently decorated and in perfect order; garden front and rear; electric light, h. and c. bath, two reception rooms, four bedrooms, kitchen, etc.; Palmerston Park district.—978, this office.

MODERN compact House for Sale; five rooms, bath, h. and c.; boxroom; seen by appointment.—93, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

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MOUNTJOY square—A fine city Mansion, suit club or hotel, £800; clear possession.—James Allen and Son, Auctioneers and Valuers, 53 Lower Sackville st.

MOREHAMPTON road—19, 21, 23, 25, 27, and 29 to be Sold by Auction on Wednesday next.—Dockrell Limited, Auctioneers, Dublin.

POSSESSION of 98 Amiens st. will be handed over to purchaser.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 12th December, Salerooms, 79 Talbot st.

POSSESSION—St. Patrick's road, Drumcondra, capital two-storeyed Residence; parlour, 3 bedrooms, breakfast-parlour, kitchen, good garden at rear.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 12th December, Salerooms, 79 Talbot st.

POSSESSION—58 St. Patrick's road; ground rent £4; lease 200 years.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 12th December.

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SANDYCOVE—To be Sold, comfortable House, without possession, on tram line; possession early next year. Apply K 809, this office.

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SUTTON—Compact House, 6 apartments, near tram, vacant, £900.—James Allen and Son, Auctioneers and Valuers, 53 Sackville st. 'Phone 74.

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WANTED to Rent in city, good House, central position, good locality, suitable for private hotel; not less than 16 "visitors" Bedrooms essential. Full particulars to "Z 2797, House," this office.

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DUBLIN BRIGADE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The concluding stage of the Dublin Brigade Boxing Championships was brought off in the Gymnasium, Portobello Barracks, last night, before a large military gathering, which included Brigadier-General S. Lambert, C.B., C.M.G., Officer Commanding the Dublin Brigade and area, and the colonel and officers of the various units in the Brigade. The eight proceedings were confined to the semi-finals and finals of the fly, bantam, feather, and light-weight classes, and the finals of the welter and middle-weights; while two special six-round contests added further interest to the tournament, which reflected great credit on Captain A. D. Golden, P.T.S.O., Headquarters, Dublin Brigade, for the successful way in which the programme was carried out, no fewer than twelve bouts being disposed of between 7.30 and 10 p.m. The competitions, which carried to the victors the right of taking part in the Irish Command Championships at the Curragh later on, were also endowed with added interest, by the fact that the unit scoring the greatest number of points carried off the Brigade Boxing Challenge Shield. This eventually went to the South-Lancashire Regiment, with the splendid aggregate of 93 points, as against the 72 scored by the 2nd Worcesters, who finished second, the 2nd Gordon Highlanders being a good third with 67 points. Details :—

Semi-finals, Fly-weights—Shaw (Worcesters) beat McGrady (South Lancs.), who retired in the second round; Owens (South Lancs.) beat Silvers (2nd Worcesters) disqualified. Final—Owens (South Lancs.) knocked out Shaw (Worcesters) in the first round.

Semi-finals, Bantams—Brindley (Worcesters) beat Smith (Worcesters) on points, after an even contest; Armstrong (Worcesters) beat Brooks (Worcesters), who was put out in the second round. Final—Armstrong v.s. Brindley ser.

Semi-finals, Feather-weights—Braithwaite (South Lancs.) beat Beckett (South Lancs.) on points; Hartley (South Lancs.) knocked out Glaze (Worcesters) in the first round. Final—Braithwaite beat Hartley, who retired in the third round.

Semi-final, Light-weights—Briggs (South Lancs.) knocked out Jopson (South Lancs.) in the second round; Grant (Gordon Highlanders) beat Lyons (South Lancs.) on points, after an even and clever exhibition, little separating the pair at the finish. Final—Grant beat Briggs on points, both men showing capital form.

Welter-weights, final—Sergeant Stanton (South Lancs.) beat Sergeant Dougherty (Gordon Highlanders) on points.

Middle-weights, final—Sergeant Bryce (Gordon Highlanders) beat Lance-Corporal Lloyd (South Lancs.) ser.

In the special six-round contests, both of which went the stipulated number of rounds, Sergeant Stanton (South Lancs.) beat C.S.M. Carrell (A.S.C.), and Sergeant Bryce (Gordon Highlanders) beat Lance-Corporal McGovern (1st South Lancs.).

At the conclusion Brigadier-General Lambert presented the shield, and medals to the winners and runners-up, congratulating all on the splendid display they had given.

The officials were as follow :—

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Bective Rangers v. Dublin University, Donnybrook, 2.45.

Wanderers v. N.I.F.C., Lansdowne road, 2.45.

Blackrock College v. Lansdowne, Williamstown, 3.0.

Old Belvedere v. Monkstown, Beech Hill, 3.15.

Pembroke College v. Bective, Londonbridge road.

Clontarf v. King's Own Regiment, Castle avenue, Palmerston v. 62nd Welsh Regt., Milltown.

Wicklow v. Wolfhound Colours, Carlow.

Lansdowne 2nd v. Blackrock College 2nd (J.L.), Lansdowne place.

Old Wesley 2nd v. University College 2nd, Donnybrook.

R. and S.P.U. v. Clontarf 2nd, Park avenue.

Monkstown 3rd v. Blackrock College, Sydney Parade.

Clontarf 3rd v. R. and S.P.U. 2nd, Castle avenue.

C.Y.M.S. v. Palmerston 2nd, Belmont avenue.

King's Hospital v. Blackrock College 3rd, Blackhall place.

Castleknock College (S.C.T.) v. Blackrock College (J.C.T.), Castleknock.

Mountjoy School 2nd v. Belvedere College 2nd, Howth road.

Belvedere College (J.C.T.) v. Blackrock (J.C.T.), Jones's road.

St. Andrew's College (under 13) v. Wesley College (under 13), Donnybrook.

St. Columba's College (J.C.T.) v. Mountjoy School (J.C.T.), Rathfarnham.

PRINCIPAL TEAMS.

Lansdowne.—R. H. Lambert, S. O'Rorke, S. W. De Villiers, F. Milligan, W. R. McFerran, W. A. Cunningham, G. McM. Kavanagh, A. D. J. Brennan, S. Campbell, Donnelly, D. de Montmorency, Moore, N. M. Purcell, M. J. Renton, P. J. Whitty.

Dublin University—I. Marais, N. D. Tipping, H. B. Van der Merwe, H. A. Dickson, J. Wilson, J. F. Stewart, P. Du Pleasis, J. C. Cortese, R. V. Stratton, J. Strathdee, H. C. Orr, W. Russell, L. W. Smith (capt.), J. Van Druten, and another.

Bective Rangers—W. Abraham; A. F. Atkins, P. Roddy, G. Cullnane, Abrahams, B. Hanmond, J. A. Clark; W. P. Colopy, P. Dunne, R. Colopy, C. O'Shea, J. Tallon, J. D. Egan, R. B. Walker, A. J. Cullen.

Monkstown—Wills, Belford, Dillon, Waddell, Steele, McCaldin, Pickeman; Thompson, Walker, Scott, Dale, Wansley (Goodbody), Ritchie, West.

Clontarf—C. Jackson; G. Gilbert, J. Bell, H. S. Tector, C. Stevens, Dyer, Hall, Hamilton, R. Polden; H. Bell, T. Bell, J. G. Cooke, M. Crowley, V. Dallas (captain), C. P. Denvir, J. Quail, J. A. Wade.

N.I.F.C.—J. A. Campbell; L. Smyth, C. Mayne, J. R. Hamill, M. Moore; R. Hamilton, R. R. Foster; D. Linton, A. C. Hall, H. Russell, Davidson, A. E. Null (capt.), B. Cunningham, Maloney, another.

Wanderers—F. Brown; M. Wilson, P. Fennell, J. Sibley, V. G. Molloy; T. Haughton, F. R. Kilterman; C. Hanna, Moore, S. Larmour, J. Brown; R. Love (captain), H. O'Neill, N. Potterton, H. D. Purcell, J. Clinch.

Old Wesley—W. S. Christie; E. N. Campbell, S. Evans, R. E. Croot, J. F. Russell; K. Kapp, W. J. Howden, C. Adams, J. A. Clarke, J. J. Walker; G. Cullen, C. A. Sanders, W. C. Trotter, S. Evans, R. M. White.

Old Belvedere—E. Dwyer; J. Lawler, M. Peehan, J. Clarke, G. M'Donald, Leo M'Donnell, J. A. T. M'Conkey (capt.); J. Julian, F. Lowry, C. Mooney, Dwyer, J. Duncan, S. T. Smith, J. Feighan, J. Pagan.

DECTIVE 2nd v. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY 2nd.—This match is off.

OXFORD v. CAMBRIDGE.

The following team has been selected to represent Oxford v. Cambridge in the annual Inter-Varsity match :—J. Bishop Sutcliffe (Leeds and Magdalen), O. Jenkins (University College, Aberystwith, and Jesus), G. B. Crole (Shrewsbury Academy and Pembroke), E. H. Crawford (capt.), (Dulwich and University), G. F. Wood (King's School, Canterbury, and Trinity), F. A. Walsh (Kilkenny and Hertford), E. Campbell (Edinburgh Academy and Oriel), J. Moseby-White (Rondesbosch and New College), R. St. Noser (South Africa College and Brasenose), C. H. Evans (Tonbridge and Brasenose), D. D. Duncan (South Africa College and Universities), H. D. Wadeson (Ingleburn and Hertford), G. Francis (Univ. Coll., Aberystwith and Jesus), W. Rion (Rishton Rectory and Queen's), G. Walker (Rugby and University). Reserves—H. B. Simpson (Kingswood and Oriel), Rev. W. T. Havard (University College, Aberystwith, and Jesus).

ASSOCIATION.

FIXTURES FOR TO-DAY.

IRISH LEAGUE

Bohemians v. Glentoran, Dalymount Park, 2.30.
Glenavon v. Shelbourne, Lurgan.
Belfast Celtic v. Cliftonville, Celtic Park.
Linfield v. Distillery, Windsor Park.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—DIVISION I.
Jacobs v. School of Science, Rutland avenue, 2.45.
Ulster v. Gordon Highlanders, Serpentine avenue, 2.45.
Olympia v. University College, Shelbourne Park, 2.45.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—DIVISION II.
Bohemians 'B' v. Glasnevin, Ballymun road.

IRISH ARMY CUP—FIRST ROUND.
17th Tank Corps v. R.A.S.C.
11th M.G.C. v. 2nd Worcesters, Grangegorman, 2 o'clock.

IRISH JUNIOR CUP—SECOND ROUND.
Avondale v. St. James's Gate "C" v. St. James's Park, 2.15.
Midland Athletic v. Richmond Asylum, Lilley Junction, 2.15.
C.B.P.U. v. Broadville, Terenure, 2.15.
St. Mary's v. D. S. and S., Ringsend Park, 2.15.
G.S. and W. v. C.Y.M.S., Ellesmere Lodge, 2.15.
53rd Batt. R.F.A. v. G.N.R. (Dundalk), Dundalk.

COURSING.

NORTH KILDARE MEETING—THURSDAY.

Judge—Mr. Wynne. Slipper—P. Norton.

HALVERSTOWN STAKES.

THIRD ROUND.—Hidden Secret beat Let XX, Grand Peril beat Faithful Ally; Master Dick IV. beat Oke.

FOURTH ROUND.—Hidden Secret, drawn from distress; Grand Peril and Master Dick IV. divided.

OSBERSTOWN CUP.

DECIDING COURSE.—Castleknock Lad beat Hazelly.

COOLMOONAUN STAKES.

THIRD ROUND.—The Coolin beat Richmond Fearless; Bogie Note beat Nellie Gwynn; Nellie Gwynn beat Barney from Kildare.

FOURTH ROUND.—The Coolin beat Submarine; Bogie Note, a bye.

DECIDING COURSE.—Bogie Note beat The Coolin.

THE IRISH FIELD

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BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN v. FALKINER.

In this Victory Tournament match of 16,000 up at Leicester square, London, yesterday, the interval scores were:—Newman (rec 1,500), 6,937; Falkiner (rec 1,000), 3,794. Closing scores:—Newman (in play), 7,841; Falkiner, 6,153.

INMAN v. SMITH.

Receiving 1,500 start in 16,000 up, Smith drew further away from Inman at Thurston's, Leicester, yesterday afternoon. The Northerner scored 615 to the champion's 825, and the respective averages were 34 and 30. Interval scores—Smith, 6,345; Inman (to play), 4,605. Closing scores—Smith, 7,945; Inman (in play), 5,405.

SPORTING NEWS.

SANDOWN PARK MEETING—YESTERDAY.

1.0.—LONG DITTON HURDLE, £100. 2 m.

		Age. st. lb.
Miss C. Reardon's bl. g. GERMISTON, by Tom Wedgwood—Moss's	Reardon	1
Mr. F. Le Due's IN A TWINKLE, 4	11-10	2
	Dunn	2

Major F. Cripps' LLANTHONY, 5, 12-1 ..R. Ellis 3

Also ran—Schiddes (G. Pullen), Quari (Capt. Reeve). (Winner trained privately).

Betting—5 to 4 on In a Twinkle, 11 to 4 agst. Llanthony, 5 to 1 agst Quari. Won by five lengths; a bad third. An objection to the winner for going the wrong course was overruled.

1.30.—BEFFINGHAM STAKES, £100. 2 m.

Captain G. Morgan's b. h. MOZZEL, by Lochfyan—Merry Tune, 5, 11-7 .....Gurney 1

Mr. F. Ingram's REDFELLOW, 5, 11-6 ..O'Brien 2
(Winner trained by Whitaker).

Betting—5 to 4 on MOZZEL, who won by a distance. Winner sold to Mr. Ingram for 250 gns.

2.0.—ANNUAL HURDLE, £300. 2 m.

Mr. F. Heybourn's ch. g. SIPPET CHARLIE, by Wolfoi—Signorina, 4, 11-1 .....Dulier 1

Mrs. E. Tabor's DOUBLET, 4, 10-11 .....P. Woodland 2

Sir S. Watts's RAYBARROW, 6, 12-4 ..A. Escott 3

Also ran—Sea Voyage (A. Wreckett (Mr. H. A. Brown), Palmer's Hill (Pargott). (Winner trained by J. Bell).

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Palmer's Hill, 5 to 2 Doublet, 7 to 2 Wrecker, 9 to 2 SIPPET CHARLIE, 8 to 1 Rayburrow, 10 to 1 Sea Voyage. Won by two lengths; a bad third.

2.30.—EWELL CHASE, £200. 3½ m.

Mr. T. M'Alpine's b. g. SHADY SPADAH, by Easter Prize—Kuzialka, 8, 12-7 .....Stubbs 1

Mr. Dixon's OLD TAY BRIDGE, 5, 10-0 ..Fisk 2

Mr. A. H. Hammond's REDMAN, 5, 10-0 .....A. Kenny 3

Also ran—Abon Ben Adhem (Stubbs). (Winner trained by Hyman).

Betting—2 to 1 on SHAUN SPADAH, 3 to 1 Husband, 4 to 1 Abon Ben Adhem, 20 to 1 Redman. Won by a length and a half; a bad third.

3.0.—PRIORY CHASE, £200. 2 m.

Mr. C. Imbert's ch. h. TALLY HO, by Cock-a-Hoop—Wilstrop Wood, 6, 11-4 ..I. Anthony 1

Captain W. Beaumont's AMERONGEN, 8, 11-4 .....R. Gordon 2

Mr. W. Richardson's SHANTOI, 4, 10-7 .....Reardon 3

Also ran—Day Dawn (Dainty), Happy Jack (Mr. F. Rees). (Winner trained by Hastings).

Betting—11 to 8 agst. Day Dawn, 13 to 8 TALLY HO, 6 to 1 Shantoi, 10 to 1 any other. Won by 6 lengths; a bad third. Day Dawn fell.

3.30.—YOUNG HURDLE, £150. 2 m.

Mr. C. Hatry's b. or br. c. FURIOUS, by Earla Mor—Rappel, 10-7 .....P. Woodland 1

Lord Rosebery's BATTICO, 10-7 .....Reardon 2

Mr. W. Dixon's ROYAL DIAMOND, 10-7 ..Fisk 3

Also ran—Croix de Guerre (D. Casey), Hombproof (A. Saxby), Far East (Killaloe), Tolnot (R. Wilkins), Yanzine (E. Morgan), Mackerel (F. Alden), Torture (C. Pratt). (Winner trained by Tabor).

Betting—11 to 8 agst. Vertigo, 3 to 1 FURIOUS, 7 to 2 Kaboodles, 6 to 1 Royal Diamond, 100 to 7 any other. Won by two lengths. Scarce.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

1.0—BOOKHAM CHASE, £100. 2 m.

		Age. st. lb.	Gns
MINSTREL PARK (Mr. H. Bottomley)			
THE LAST (Mr. H. A. Brown)	Hare	a 11	4
FLEETING PEACE (Mr. H. A. Brown)	H. Brown	a 11	4
BRDFELLOW (Mr. F. Ingram)	Poole	a 11	4
SPLINTER (Mr. H. M'Kenzie)	Private	a 11	4
ECLAIREUR (Mr. R. Wigram)	Poole	a 11	4
THE ADMIRALTY (Sir W. M'Lintock)	Private	5 11	1

1.30—OXSHOTT HURDLE, £100. 2 m.

		Age. st. lb.	
LONDERRY (Major F. Cripps)	Lines	a 12	7
A DOUBLE ESCAPE (Mr. H. Chappell)	Dodd	5 12	4
MILTSIN (Mr. W. Hopkins)	Private	5 11	10
BAYODER (Mr. E. Caldicott)	Caldicott	6 11	13
IN A TWINKLE (Mr. F. Le Due)	Fitton	4 11	11
PROMOTER (Mr. H. Bottomley)	Hare	5 11	11
MUTTON CUTLETS (Mr. R. Wigram)	Poole	a 11	7
BOLOND (Mr. T. Gautrey)	Pope	a 11	7
VALE OF REALM (Mr. B. Martin)	Private	4 11	6
FLORAL TRIBUTE (Mr. G. Marsh)	Godfrey	4 11	1
DEMAGOGUE (Mr. E. Goby)	Goby	4 11	0
JOLLY JACK (Mr. J. Goodman)	Goodman	3 10	10
VENDOME (Mr. Havelock-Allan)	Hampson	a 10	6
FAIR GAL (Mr. R. Spicer)	Private	a 10	4

2.0—SANDOWN CHASE, £300. 3½ m.

		Age. st. lb.	
SHAUN SPADAH (Mr. M'Alpine) (10lb. extra)	Godfrey	a 12	9
POLLEN (Mr. J. Dugdale)	Escott	a 12	7
SERGEANT MURPHY (Mr. D. Stuart)	Private	a 12	7
CULPRIT (Mr. J. Buchanan)	Gore	6 11	6
WHITE TROUT (Commander Wynd)	Whitaker	a 11	4
SVETOL (Mr. W. Wren)	Payne	a 10	12
CHILDLIKE (Mr. W. Hutton)	Dicksee	a 10	12
WAVEBEAM (Capt. I. Straker)	F. Hartigan	a 10	9
FARGUE (Mr. G. Sanday)	Private	a 10	7
NEUROTIC (Mr. B. Wigram)	Poole	a 10	7
HAPPY LAD (Mr. W. King)	Private	a 10	0
WARRIOR II. (Mr. J. Burnett)	Private	a 9	9

2.30—DECEMBER HURDLE, £150. 2½ m.

		Age. st. lb.
KNIGHT OF MANISTER (Mr. W. Mildmay)	Ireland	6 12	7
CORYDON (Mr. H. Bottomley)	Hare	5 12	5
SANESH (Mr. D. Stuart)	Hyams	a 12	2
MACMERRY (Mr. H. Bottomley)	Hare	a 12	2
BALLYHANDY (Mr. J. Ransdell)	Gore	a 12	0
MISTY MORNING (Mr. A. Cunliffe)	Private	6 12	0
OCEAN WAVE (Capt. Phipps Hornby)	Harrison	6 11	13
SHINING MORE (Mr. H. Rich)	Gwilt	6 11	13
MONSYL (Mr. W. Dixon)	Lines	a 11	7
FLIBRI (Mr. G. Stratton)	Stratton	a 11	6
SEA IMP (Mr. M. Inman)	Godfrey	6 11	6
GLAM (Mr. J. Lynch)	Hamond	a 11	5
MONARD (Mr. J. Secott)	Secott	a 11	5
CHARLES MARTEL (Mr. T. Hartigan)	Hadenmore (M. Sanders)	a 11	4
THE SETTLER (Mr. G. W. Smith)	M'Cormack	5 11	3
CAMELOT (Capt. D. Leslie)	Hastings	5 11	3
DAISY SQUARE (Mrs. A. Kennedy)	Fitton	5 10	7
KIRKHARLE (Mr. A. Straker)	F. Hartigan	4 10	6
WINKLE (Mr. Norman)	Private	5 10	5
LEE WHITE (Mr. W. Goodman)	Goodman	5 10	0
HERODE AGRIPPA (Mr. R. Wigram)	Poole	a 10	0

3.0—POND CHASE, £200. 2 m.

		Age. st. lb.
WAYFLACE (Sir G. Bullough)	Hastings	a 12	7
BELL TOLL (Mr. H. Chappell)	Dodd	a 12	4
THE BORE (Mr. A. Brown)	H. Brown	a 11	4
MR. PICK (Mr. F. Bibby)	Withington	a 12	2
TURBINE SECUNDUS (Mr. Thompson)	F. Hartigan	6 12	0
HEROD'S DAUGHTER (Mr. W. Peters)	Law	6 11	13
TOADSTONE (Mr. W. Wren)	Payne	a 11	13
MACMERRY (Mr. H. Bottomley)	Hare	a 11	13
CRESSIDE (Mr. J. Ransdell)	Gore	5 11	12
STRAIGHT ON (Mr. T. Blenkiron)	Nightingall	5 11	6
SPOIL FIVE (Mr. F. Ingram)	Poole	a 11	0
GAY DAMSEL (Mr. D. Stuart)	Hyams	a 10	12
KING'S CAROL (Capt. C. Morgan)	Private	a 10	10
RUDBY (Mr. T. Dugdale)	Private	6 10	10
LB (Mr. S. Sanguinetti)	Sanguinetti	6 10	7
PARKANORE (Mr. W. Dixon)	Lines	5 10	3

3.30—MILBURN HURDLE, £150. 2 m.

		Age. st. lb.
SOMERVILLE (Comdr. Ward)	Whitaker	4 11	10
PRIDARA (Mr. D. Renson)	Hare	a 11	7
SAINTLY MAUDE (Mr. Court)	C. Young	5 11	3
BARRACK SQUARE (Mr. H. Gilman)	Gwilt	a 11	3
MATRUR (Mr. C. Hatry)	Tabor	5 11	3
ARBRE II. (Mr. C. Hatry)	Tabor	5 11	3
SEA IMP (Mr. M. Inman)	Godfrey	6 11	3
GARRYVOE (Mr. C. Lenay)	Private	5 11	3
THE CONSTANTIAD (Mr. G. Marsh)	Godfrey	6 11	3
APRES MOI (Capt. Megaw)	Private	5 11	3
WINKLE (Mr. Norman)	Private	5 11	3
PLYMOUTH (Mr. J. Owen)	Pope	6 11	3
SHRIVEDON (Mr. Shaw)	Private	6 11	3
JACK O' JINGLES (Mr. D. Stuart)	Hyams	5 11	3
ST. ELOI (Mr. W. Williams)	Candell	a 11	3
TUNWORTH (Mr. H. Bradford)	Bradford	4 11	0
THE PLOUGH (Mr. C. Burn)	Whitaker	4 11	0
MISS MADCAP (Mr. W. Dixon)	Lines	4 11	0
CLD GOLD (Mr. J. Harvie)	Poole	4 11	0
TRIVET (Mr. J. Ingram)	Dunn	4 11	0
WHITE SAND (Mr. J. Thorburn)	Gwilt	4 11	0
HILARIOUS (Mr. J. Wales)	Nightingall	4 11	0
WAR EMBLEM (Mr. W. Hoopkins)	Private	3 10	0
CATAMARAN (Mrs. Pemberton)	Private	5 10	0
ST. GEORGE (Mr. Sangster)	Godfrey	5 10	0
KILLIGRAY (Mr. A. Walker)	F. Hartigan	3 10	0

THE MAZE RACES,

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY,
JULY 13th and 14th, 1920.

The following is a list of Closing on WEDNESDAY NEXT, December 10th, with Mr. C. Brindley, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin :—

FIRST DAY.

DOWNSHIRE PLATE of 300 sovs. For two years old (now yearlings). Colts, 8st. 12lb.; Fillies and geldings, 8st. 9lb. Five furlongs, straight. 1 sov. is the only liability up to March 31st, 1920.

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CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, FRIDAY NIGHT.

The weather for the first afternoon at Sandown Park was as miserable as possible, and visitors got a thorough soaking. The racing was none too good, and it does not promise to be any better to-morrow. My selections are :—Bookham Steeplechase—Estaireur. Oxshott Hurdle—In a Twinkle. Sandown Steeplechase—Wavebeam. December Hurdle—Ocean Wave. Pond Steeplechase—King's Carol. Milburn Hurdle—Garryvoe.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. W. P. Hanly has sold Pay Only (aged) and Forgive (aged) to Mr. W. F. Sankey, and Lord Waverbree has purchased Doon Star (2 yrs.) from Mr. Burns.

Owners who intend giving names to their horses should send them to Mr. Brindley at once. Names not registered prior to January 2nd cannot appear in the volume of "Races to Come," now in preparation.

Owners are reminded that entries close on Wednesday next for the Downshire and Purdysburn Plates, value 300 sovs. each, for two-year-olds (now yearlings), to be run at the Down Royal (Maze) July Meeting.

The yearly general meeting of the Turf Club will be held at the Registry Office, Dublin, on Friday, January 2nd, at noon, and general meeting of the Irish National Hunt Steeplechase Committee the same day, at 2.30.

Very good entries have been obtained for the principal two-old races to be run at Limerick Junction Meetings next season. There is an aggregate of 550 nominations for the half-dozen events, which gives an average of nearly 92 per race.

The question of the export of Irish horses to Switzerland was referred to in the House of Commons on Thursday night, when Mr. Henry informed Colonel Newman that the Irish Department of Agriculture was not aware of anything abnormal in the number of horses so exported. All such horses had been for the Swiss Government. The practice of the Swiss authorities before the war was to purchase remounts in Ireland, but this practice was in abeyance from the outbreak of war until October last.

NEWMARKET BLOODSTOCK SALES—YESTERDAY.

A dull, cold morning, with occasional showers, did not tempt many people to Park Paddocks, Newmarket, yesterday, and proceedings were very slow for the first hour and a half. Matters improved a little, after Mr. C. T. Garland's contingent came into the ring, but the best of them did not reach the reserve. Mr. M. Fitzgerald's two mares by Orby then made 1,000 guineas each. Prices, however, did not range very high. Mr. M. Gurry purchased the brood mare, Theory, at the reasonable figure of 500 guineas, and Mr. Jeffrey got her filly foal by The White Knight cheaply at 160 guineas. Only five lots the property of Mr. Marcel Varipatti were disposed of. Mrs. Basil went to 650 guineas to secure the brood mare, Bookmaslin (Chaucer—Muslin), who sends a colt foal to Neil Gow, whilst Mr. F. Harrison took the two-year-old, Rigolo, for 520 guineas. Principal prices and purchasers' names :—

Property of Mr. T. McMahon.

		Gns
Br. ylg. c. by Minter—Seeking Trouble (Mr. Pinsley)	Mr. W. A. Wallis.	120
Sauce Verte (1907), ch. m., by Galloping Lad—Mindora (covered by Captivation)	Poole	120
(British Bloodstock Agency)	Property of Mr. Adam Scott.	
Ch. ylg. c. by Darigin—Bootica's Baby (Mr. Irving)	Mr. J. A. Thorburn.	100
Forget-me-not (1911), b. m., by Radium—Lest We Forget (covered by Amadis) (Mr. Dennison)	Mr. F. H. Bowcher.	210
Weadam, by Count Schomberg—Miss Gunnarie (1911) (covered by Rock Flint) (Mrs. Clayton)	Property of Major D. Hughes Morgan.	300
B. c. foal by Sunbrae—Williamsee (Capt. Tuthill)	Property of Mr. C. Hodgson.	105
B. c. foal by Swynford—Holiday (Mr. Brendon)	Holden House—Merrytent	105
Ch. c. foal by Polyphonic—Wise Bird (Major Beatty)	Property of Mr. H. Smith.	140
DEMAGOGUE (Mr. E. Goby)	Goby	4 11	0
JOLLY JACK (Mr. J. Goodman)	Goodman	3 10	10
VENDOME (Mr. Havelock-Allan)	Hampson	a 10	6
FAIR GAL (Mr. R. Spicer)	Private	a 10	4

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POLLEN (Mr. J. Dugdale)	Escott	a 12	7
SERGEANT MURPHY (Mr. D. Stuart)	Private	a 12	7
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THE NURSES REGISTRATION BILL.

BABIES' CLUBS AND THE MILK QUESTION.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair presided at a Council meeting of the Irish Women's National Health Association in the Lecture Theatre of the Royal Dublin Society, Kildare street, Dublin, yesterday.

Sir John W. Moore, speaking with reference to the Nurses Registration Bill at present before Parliament, said that various bills were introduced last year by private nursing bodies, but they failed to pass the House of Commons. The new Minister of Health for England, Dr. Addison, felt that the Government must grapple with the question, and he introduced a bill. A bill drafted on similar lines by the Chief Secretary for Ireland quickly followed. Mr. Macpherson, in addition to being Chief Secretary, was Minister of Health for Ireland, and he would like to have substituted the title Minister of Health for Chief Secretary in the bill. Further, it was absolutely necessary that Irish nurses should be free to practise in the other divisions of the United Kingdom, and to secure that it was necessary that reciprocity between the three divisions should be complete. The only way to secure that would be to have a common register. He accordingly moved a resolution, urging that the registration of nurses in England, Ireland, and Scotland be reciprocal, and that a common register be established on the lines of the medical and dental registers, with the object of obtaining absolute reciprocity between the three divisions of the United Kingdom; also that the title "Minister of Health" be substituted for "Chief Secretary."

Sir Andrew Horne seconded the resolution, and said that he happened to meet Dr. Addison in London before the introduction of the bill, and asked him why he did not introduce a bill for the three countries simultaneously. Dr. Addison pointed out that he was only the Minister for England and Wales, and had no power to deal with Ireland or Scotland. It was not until last year that the Irish midwives got recognised and registered. Even still when an Irish midwife went to practice in England she had to get her name put on the English register, and also to pay an extra fee for that privilege.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen put the resolution, which was carried unanimously.

THE DUBLIN BABIES' CLUBS.

Sir Andrew Horne, as Chairman of the Central Babies' Club in Dublin, submitted a report on the work of the club's, and said that at the present moment every dispensary district in the city had got a baby club. The number of members at the various clubs last month was 1,230. The number of separate attendances on mothers at these clubs was 1,916, showing how much the mothers had appreciated the value of clubs. These mothers brought 694 infants under one year of age to the clubs during the month of October. These were not sick children—they were healthy children, and the mothers brought them to the club once a week and had them weighed and seen by the doctor to show how they were progressing, and there was a great advantage in the friendly rivalry between the various mothers in showing how their children were improving. No less than 1,230 children under five years of age attended at the club for little social gatherings, where they met and played together, and enjoyed themselves in a way that seldom fell to the lot of the poor. Games were provided, and the children were given goat's milk, tea, and cakes. The number of separate consultations by mothers with the doctors was 364, and the infants under one year numbered 283, and under five years 138. These children were seen by the doctors at the various clubs, proper food and treatment given to the mothers, and the ailments at once corrected. The number of mothers who secured medical treatment was 43, of infants under one year 65, and under five years 12. Out of these 19 were sent for hospital or institutional treatment. Again, at each of these clubs they had a nurse in residence, and the eight nurses attached to the clubs visited no less than 2,075 homes of the people. Coming to the mortality question, it was to prevent the terrible waste of infant life in Dublin that the clubs were established. Unfortunately Dublin still stood out pre-eminently as having almost the highest death-rate of any town in the United Kingdom, but in the clubs the number of infants who had died was only one, and of young children two; consequently the wastage of life was not occurring in the Baby Clubs in Dublin. (Hear, hear.) These clubs were of the greatest advantage to the poor of the city, because their household arrangements were also looked after, and there were classes for improving the hygienic conditions. Thanks to the Dublin coal merchants, the clubs were able to supply coal at cost price, and boots and milk for the children were also supplied at cost price, and in necessitous cases they were given free of cost. He thought that the record of the Dublin Baby Clubs was a very good one. He knew that objections had been circulated that they were doing things not consistent with the work of the clubs—that they were interfering with the religious rights of individuals. "As Chairman of the Baby Clubs Committee," said Sir Andrew, "I would no longer hold that position if I thought that there was the least reason to think that such a state of things existed. (Hear, hear.) The rules of our Baby Clubs are such as to prevent it. At the present moment we have eight Baby Clubs, presided over by eight nurses, and all these eight nurses, I think I am right in saying, are of the Catholic persuasion. The rule is that no member of the Committee can visit the house of a member unless she is accompanied by the nurse. That rule is printed and hung up in the clubs, and I am happy to say that it is strictly adhered to by every Baby Club in Dublin. I am sorry to have to draw attention to this, but I have heard certain rumours have been circulated, and I do not think there is the slightest ground for such an accusation." (Applause.)

Mrs. Fagan Redmond (Bray) said they had added another industry to their club—that of knitting jumpers. They had their mothers making woollen coats for their children for Christmas, and in that way they had added much to the mothers' lives by giving them the joy of working for their children.

Lady Redmond, Mrs. Henry, Miss Conroy, and other representatives spoke of the satisfactory working of their clubs.

Mrs. Rushton spoke of the necessity of having some inspection of children over a year old.

Mrs. Fagan Redmond said that the V.A.D.'s in their district did that work. They also came to the clubs and looked after the children while the mothers did knitting, and they volunteered for nursing in the homes.

INFANT WELFARE SCHEMES.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen mentioned that two grants of £500 each were offered in order to form two infant welfare centres, one in the North and the other in the South of Ireland. It was practically arranged that the second £500 grant would go to Lisburn, where the Urban Council last week adopted an infant welfare scheme. She was glad that the grant was going to a place with which her mother's family were so long connected.

HOUSING.

Mr. Cronin (Town Clerk, Newry) explained a design of house which they had prepared for a housing scheme in Newry. Their house would cost £486 10s., as against £612 10s. if they were to comply rigidly with the requirements of the Local Government Board. He was glad to see that it was reported to the Lurgan Urban District Council that the Chief Secretary had stated that the Local Government Board must relax their conditions in regard to housing. They believed their workers could not pay a higher rent than 5s., and in Tipperary, where they required at least 500 houses, they could not pay more than 4s. a week.

Several members spoke of the poor housing accommodation in various parts of the country, and emphasised the necessity for baths in any new houses that might be built.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen thought that the proper sequence to the discussion would be that clubs should try and persuade suitable women in the country to overcome their reluctance to become candidates for public boards.

Mrs. Fagan Redmond said that it was not much use in one lady being elected. They should come forward in numbers. She moved a resolution urging on clubs the necessity of nominating suitable candidates.

Mrs. Hickman seconded the resolution, which was carried.

THE LATE MR. W. M. MURPHY.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen said that she wished to express on behalf of the Council a deep sympathy with the family of the late Mr. William M. Murphy, and their appreciation of all the help he gave in so many ways to the Association. She would like to move that from the chair.

The motion was carried in silence, all the members standing.

THE MILK PROBLEM.

A discussion took place on "The urgency of the milk question in regard to the health of the people."

Mr. W. M. Cronin, Town Clerk of Newry, read a paper on the Newry scheme of child welfare. The Urban Council had contracts with dairy farmers for a daily supply of new milk to each depôt in such quantities as might from time to time be required. The contract price during the year was 1s. 10d. per gallon for the summer period (April to September) and 2s. 2d. per gallon for the winter months, while the milk was retailed at 6d. and 7d. per quart respectively. The total cost of the milk which passed through the depôts during the year was £1,595 15s. 5d., while the receipts from the sale of same totalled £1,667 11s. 6d. After payment of wages, rent, and incidental expenses, the working of the depôts for the year 1918 resulted in a profit of £7 10s. 6d. In addition, there was distributed 9,710 pints of free milk to necessitous families in which there were young children at a cost of £116 8s. 11d. The depôts had proved to be a great boon to the wage-earning classes of Newry, and it was estimated that in the current year the sales would amount to about £2,000. The entire charge on rates for the year worked out at £126 18s. 5d., which showed that much could be done by an Urban Council in the matter of child welfare without incurring any serious financial responsibility.

Miss French-Mullen said that they hoped, in February next, to start a flock of goats in Dublin, and to give the milk at reasonable prices. Any impurity in the milk would be obviated by bringing the goats around. Sheep and cows were brought through the city every day, and no one objected; so why should anyone object to goats? They would not bring the goats down Grafton street, nor would they hold up the traffic. (Laughter.) They hoped to start in February with fifteen goats, and later to have a succession of goats.

Mr. William Field spoke of the success of the system of bringing round goats, as he had seen it successfully practised in Rome.

Sir Thomas W. Russell said that there were difficulties about the goat, and it would be a long time before farmers' prejudices were overcome. The farmers thought that goats were cheap, but that they ate everything. (Laughter.) He could not understand the present prices of milk in Dublin. If an agricultural country like Ireland could not produce milk, what was it good for? Why give the whole land of Ireland to bullocks and neglect the people? Were the people so bachelorsless as to let the bullocks have the land while human beings were neglected?

TREATMENT FOR TUBERCULOSIS.

Dr. Gaffiken proposed a resolution calling attention to the good results attending early and prolonged treatment of children suffering from tuberculosis.

Dr. Dickson said that tuberculosis in Ireland was swelled by the importation of it, uncontrolled and free, from other countries, especially from America. He thought the time had come when public opinion should express itself emphatically against the continuance of the employing of this country as a dumping ground for infective cases of tuberculosis. He appealed for greater attention being paid to early diagnosis of the disease and to the preventive side of the question, especially by lessening direct infection. The problem was not purely a medical one. There was nothing more necessary than clear and patient thinking, followed by a bold and outspoken policy.

Sir Wm. Thompson said that the death-rate of tuberculosis 50 years ago was 2.46 in Ireland, 3.20 in England, and 3.62 in Scotland. Twenty years later the death-rate in the three countries was practically the same, and in 1911-15 the rate in England and Scotland had considerably decreased, while it had not decreased so much in Ireland. There had not been so much public health work done in Ireland as had been done in England, Wales, and Scotland. Why public health law passed for one country was not applied to the others was a difficult problem to solve. He was strongly of opinion that if a proper campaign were instituted, not only would the tuberculosis death-rate decrease, but their general death-rate would decrease. The County Dublin Insurance Committee at a recent meeting passed a resolution expressing the opinion that substantial progress would not be made until the local authorities were vested with powers to compulsorily isolate cases. The number of deaths from tuberculosis in Ireland in 1918 was 9,576. Had the same death-rate in England and Wales been applicable to Ireland for tuberculosis for 1918 the number of deaths would have been 7,400.

THE ATTENDANCE.

The attendance included:—

Mrs. Hosford, A. F. Hobbs, Lady Everard (Navan), Sir Andrew Horne, Sir John Moore, Mrs. Henry (Bray), Miss Boland, Mrs. Carmichael-Ferrall (Clogher, Co. Tyrone), Mrs. M. F. Hickman, Mrs. R. R. Patterson (Ilnis), Miss L. Thompson, Miss Carleton, Dr. A. C. McCalium (Portadown), Mrs. E. Candell (Rosslare), Miss Dunne, Mrs. Brett, Mrs. Humphries, Mrs. Hamilton, Nurse MacDonnell, Miss Ethel McNally, Mr. W. M. Cronin, Town Clerk, Newry; Miss St. J. Whitty (United Irishwomen), Mrs. Fagan Redmond (Kingstown), Mrs. Davidson, Dr. Alice Barry, — Hair, Nurse F. Chalmers, Dr. Prudence Gaffikin, Miss French-Mullen, Miss Morrow, Bethesda; Dr. George Sheehan, Lady Redmond, Miss K. S. Saunders, Sir James and Lady Dougherty, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. W. J. Macnamara, Dr. Caffe, Sir Thomas Russell, Mrs. and Miss Bryan, Mrs. Maud Walch, the Dean of the Chapel Royal, Dr. Dickson (Insurance Commission), the Rev. Dr. Crawford, Mr. William Field, Miss Eva Murphy.

PLATFORM AND STAGE.

"The Private Secretary," the popular farce by Charles Hawtrey, pays a return visit to the Gaiety Theatre next week, when it will be produced by a full London company, under the direction of Mr. Cecil Barth. The part of the Rev. Robert Spalding will be sustained by Mr. Charles R. Wajenn, whose appearance in Gilbert and Sullivan opera is well known. There will be matinées on Wednesday and Saturday at 2.30.

At the head of next week's bill for the Theatre Royal Hippodrome is the announcement of the Gresham Singers, from the Alhambra Theatre, London, who will give a number of selections from their repertoire. The performers will be Hatherley Clarke (alto), Charles Flinn (tenor), Greeves Johnson (baritone), and Leonard Salisbury (bass). New songs will be sung by Betty Barclay and George Glover, and a Scotch comedy, "Oh Mother," will be given by Ellis Drake and Co. The programme also includes:—Foster Kershaw, entertainer; Nelson troupe, whirlwind skaters; Hinsle, assisted by Gertie Rees, comedy illusionist; Giddy Brothers, acrobats; and Cullen and Carthy in their latest successes.

Three Quinlan concerts are announced to take place in the Theatres Royal early in the new year. At the first, which will be given on January 3rd, Godowsky, the world-famous pianist; Clarence Whitehill, a leading American baritone; and Frank Mullings, the great English dramatic tenor, will take part. The second concert will be given on February 17th, when selections will be given by Albert Coates, the celebrated conductor, and Edna Thornton, contralto. A special concert will be given on February 27th, and the artistes are to be:—Renee Chemet (violinist), Caroline Hatchard (soprano), Astra Desmond (contralto), Lenghi Cellini (tenor), Peter Dawson (baritone), and Harold Craxton (accompanist).

"The Bride of Garryowen," described as a new and original romantic Irish drama, will be performed by Mr. P. P. Nayr's company next week in the Queen's Theatre. The cast, which is of Irish players, includes:—Messrs. P. P. Nayr, B. McCabe, T. J. O'Rourke, T. Smith, J. Chevers, J. Duffy, T. Bourke, L. Maher, J. McDermott, and the Misses L. Connolly, C. McMahon, S. Ryan, and G. Pigott.

On Tuesday next, at the Abbey Theatre, "The Player Queen," a play in two scenes, by W. B. Yeats, will be produced for the first time in Ireland, and with it "Friends," by Herbert Farjeon, and Seumas O'Kelly's "Meadowsweet" will be performed. There will be a matinée on Saturday.

A variety programme will be presented next week at the Empire Theatre. A jazz performance will be given by W. T. Elmanzer, and the other artistes include Mabe and Grubbs, Elliott and Grower, and Yankes and James.

Next week, at the Tivoli Theatre, the principal items on the programme will be "turns" by Bert Harrow, a comedian, and Ringle Brothers in a juggling speciality act. Arthur Lucan and Kitty McShane appear in their comedy scena, "Come Over." Doody Day will give a number of male character studies, and vocal and dancing contributions will be given by the Sisters Rockford. Other numbers are:—Ketos, eccentrics; Lowdini, "genius in rags," and Norman Carroll, entertainer.

Mr. Frank Musprat, organist of St. Mary's Cathedral, Limerick, will give a recital in the Theatre of the Royal Dublin Society, Kildare street, Dublin, at 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon, when the following programme will be performed:—Version (Sonata Eroica) (Sir Ch. V. Stanford), Allegro e Scherzando (Symp. No. 8, (Beethoven), Prelude and Fugue in G (Vol. 11., No. 2, Peters) (Bach), Canon in F (Salomé), Variations (Dr. Ch. Ritson), Hommage à Handel (Moscheles), Villanella (J. Ireland), Andantino (Chauvet), Finale (Sonata in D Minor) (A. Mailly).

THE COMING CHRISTMAS.

There has been unusual activity for some time past at Maxwell Lemon's, 22 Nassau street. Innumerable delivery vans have been depositing some of the good things that will delight many thousands of homes this Christmas. "We have the largest and most varied selection of chocolates, crackers, stockings, and sweets in Ireland," says Mr. Maxwell Lemon.—(Adv.).

THE LEGEND OF "PERFIDIOUS ALBION."

LECTURE BY PROFESSOR ALISON PHILLIPS.

A lecture on "The Continental Policy of Great Britain and the Legend of Perfidious Albion" was delivered by Professor Alison Phillips in the Regent House, Trinity College, Dublin, yesterday evening. There was a good attendance.

The lecturer began by quoting from the Kaiser's memorandum of the 30th July, 1914, published in *The Times* of last Saturday, passages referring to King Edward VII.'s supposed plot to "encircle" Germany, Great Britain's intention to destroy Germany on the pretext of restoring the balance of power in Europe, and the plan of meeting this by inciting the Mohammedan world to "a savage uprising against this hated, lying, unscrupulous nation of hucksters." In proof that, in using this language, the Kaiser was expressing the sentiments of his people, Mr. Phillips cited an anthology of over a hundred hymns of hate, published in 1915 under the title of "*Wehe dir England*," and immensely popular, and read a translation of one of the poems, the burden of which was that the Zeppelins were coming, as the angels of the Divine justice, "to rain destruction on a nation which had deliberately stirred up "the Continent's fratricidal rage" for its own selfish and sordid ends. The gravamen of the charges here made, said Mr. Phillips, was that Great Britain's policy had always been to set the Continental people by the ears, in order that, herself safe behind her "moat," she might be able to profit by the exhaustion of her rivals to extend her Empire and secure a virtual monopoly of the world's wealth. This legend had not been confined to Germany; before the war it was equally current in France; and it was worth while to inquire into the origins of a myth which had had so terrible an effect on international relations. In the eighteenth century, continued the lecturer, nothing was heard of the "perfidiousness" of England. On the contrary, Montesquieu said that she brought to diplomatic discussions "a little more honesty than the others," and that, since she was herself unassailable and had no Continental ambitions, she was in a position to perform the useful function of acting as the "executive" of Europe in maintaining the balance of power.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE LEGEND.

The legend of "*la perfide Albion*" was developed in Revolutionary France, which believed that Republicanism alone could be "virtuous," and that England in fighting the Republic was, therefore, very much the reverse; it was adopted and expanded by Napoleon as a useful propagandist weapon against his chief enemy; and by Napoleon's hireling scribes it was, after the subjugation of Germany, diligently disseminated in that country. The famous German publicist, Friedrich von Gents, had, in 1806, published a scathing attack on these scribblers, who, by their baseless attacks on England, were bolstering up "the greatest tyranny the world has ever known." The legend survived in Germany, in spite of the comradeship in arms of Waterloo, because of the decisive part played by English statesmen in preventing the dismemberment of France, which enraged the Prussians and was ascribed by them to the meanest motives. It was revived and expanded by the great Prussian historian, Treitschke, after the establishment of the German Empire, as part of the education of the German people for their destiny as a world Power. And Treitschke, Mr. Phillips pointed out, was Kaiser William's historical tutor.

GREAT BRITAIN'S POSITION.

The second part of the lecture was devoted to a survey of the principles which had actually guided the Continental policy of Great Britain during the last two hundred years. The basic principle had been defined by the younger Pitt in a single word—security. These countries could not be secure if a single Power was in a position to impose its will on the whole Continent; hence Great Britain, however much she might be tempted to "revolve in her own orbit," had always been forced to take an interest in the affairs of Europe, and to see to it that the balance of power on the Continent was not too violently disturbed. This necessity of her position had produced two moral consequences of first-class importance: it had constituted Great Britain the natural protector of the small nations of the Continent, and it had made her the champion of the sanctity of the treaties by which the balance of power was secured. It was wholly untrue to say that Great Britain had ever deliberately stirred up war on the Continent, though colour was given to this idea by the fact that she had often profited by Continental wars into which she had been forced against her will. In the eighteenth century Chatham and the younger Pitt, great War Ministers though they were, had laboured to preserve peace; and in the nineteenth century our Foreign Secretaries, from Castlereagh onwards, had had but one object in their Continental policy—to preserve peace. Even Palmerston, reckoned the most bellicose of Ministers, had, during the Belgian crisis of 1830-1831, succeeded by a masterly diplomacy, which the lecturer illustrated from unpublished documents, in keeping the Continental Powers in line, and thus preventing a European war. If Great Britain's function as the peace-keeper of Europe was weakened after the middle of the century, this was because the rise of the new principle of nationality had complicated the issues on the Continent, and because the sympathy of the British democracy with the subject peoples desiring to become nations broke the old tradition of British policy, which was founded on the treaties, without putting any other strong policy in its place.

EUROPEAN COMPLICATIONS.

The reputation of British statesmanship suffered abroad because Ministers like Lord John Russell, whilst intent on preserving peace, used language which would only have been effective if backed up by war, the most fateful instance being the protest against the seizure of Slesvig and Holstein by the German Powers in 1864. After the establishment of the German Empire in 1871, the balance of power in Europe ceased to exist, and the principle involved in its maintenance was openly repudiated by British politicians. But the growing menace from Germany after the accession of William II. compelled a return to the old policy, and the Triple Alliance was balanced after 1904 by the Triple Entente. If peace was not preserved it was because the balance was not complete; for the exact commitments of Great Britain were not known. If Germany had realised that, in the event of her attacking our Allies, we would certainly join them against her, there would have been no war. It was the uncertainty of England's attitude, due to the uncertainty of British public opinion, which made the war possible. There could be no doubt, however, that Sir Edward Grey, in making every effort to preserve peace, had carried on true traditions of the British Foreign Office. These traditions were best summed up in the words of Canning: "Respect for the faith of treaties, respect for the independence of nations, respect for the established line of policy known as the balance of power, and, last but not least, respect for the honour and interests of this country." As for the legend of "perfidious Albion," it was a legend, and nothing more.

FOYLE COLLEGE, LONDONDERRY.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

The Board of Governors of Foyle College, Londonderry, in their annual report to the members yesterday, stated that at September 1st, 1918, there were 212 on the roll—163 in the upper school and 49 in the preparatory school. At September 1st, 1919, there were 202 on the roll—157 in the upper school and 45 in the preparatory school. During the year 43 boys entered the upper school and 13 the preparatory school. During the same period 66 left. The school grant or result fees for 1918 was £385 1s. 11d., and the attendance grant from the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction was £143 10s. 1d. A sum of £326 8s. 1d. was received from the Intermediate Education Board of Ireland, being amount of teachers' salaries grant assigned to Foyle College under the Intermediate Education (Ireland) Act, 1914. A sum of £391 9s. 9d. was received from the Intermediate Education Board under the Duke Grant, being the amount of the capitation grant assigned to Foyle College; £175 11s. 5d. of this sum was utilised in purchasing War Loan Stock for the Teachers' Pensions Fund.

At the Intermediate examinations this year the school gained ten exhibitions—in the senior grade, one first class exhibition of £30 and three second class exhibitions of £20; in the middle grade, one first class exhibition of £20 and three second class exhibitions of £15; in the junior grade, two second class exhibitions of £10. Nine general prizes were awarded in the three grades; seven composition prizes, two for Greek, three for Latin, two for German, and three medals for first places, one in Algebra and two in German. Three House scholarships of £30 each were awarded, and 19 free scholarships. The Board awarded an Irish Society's University Exhibition of £30 a year for four years to W. S. Baxter.

Following the example of the inhabitants of the northern territory the whites of Papua are protesting against taxation without representation in the Commonwealth Parliament, says a Melbourne telegram

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

St Patrick's Cathedral.—8, Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins. Psalm xxxv. Te Deum and Jubilate (King in C). Thy word is a lantern." Purcell. 7.30, Hymns 237, "Lord, Thy Word Abideth." Preacher, Rev. R. F. H. Campbell, M.A., Successor. 3.15, Gloria Week. Magn. and N. Dim (Stanford in A). Anthems, 1st, "The Lord is my Shepherd" (Schubert in G). Hymn 76, "Lo, He comes." 2nd, "I was glad" (Handel, 7.30, Preacher, Rev. J. Percy Phair, M.A., Rector of Christ Church, Lucan Park.

Christ Church Cathedral.—11, Matins. Psalm 35. Te Deum and Benedictus (King-Hall in D flat). Introit, "Hosanna" (Gibbons). 11.40, Holy Communion (Lord is E flat). Preacher, Rev. H. B. Kennedy, B.D. Hymn 76, tune A. 3.30, Evensong. Psalms 5, 20, 22. Magn. and Nunc Dim (Noble in E minor). Anthem, "Blessed are they that mourn" (Brahms). Preacher, Rev. N. J. D. White, D.D. Hymn, 68.

Chapel Royal.—11.30. Venite, 206. Chants for Psalms, 204, 205. Te Deum (Stewart in G). Anthem, No. 256, "Incline Thine ear" (Himmel). Hymn before sermon, No. 66. Hymn after sermon, No. 561. Preacher, the Dean. The Chapel is open to the public. Celebration of Holy Communion after Morning Prayer.

Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

Chapel of Trinity College.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10. Preacher, Rev. A. A. Luce, B.D., F.T.C.D.

College of St. Columba.—11.30. Te Deum (Noyes in C). Benedictus (Odlum in F). Psalm. Anthem, "They that go down to the sea" (Attwood). Hymn, "O come O come, Emmanuel." Rev. R. M. Gwynn, B.D. 7.30, Magn. and N. Dim. (Walmisley in D minor). Anthems, "The day is past and over" (Marin). Hymn "O God Jordan's peak."

St. Matthias's Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Memorial Service, the Archbishop of Dublin.

St. Anne's.—7.15, 8, 10, 11.50, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. J. H. Alcock. 3.30 and 7, Rev. S. Hutchinson.

Baggotrath Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. W. J. Harvey. 7, Rev. Dr. Murray.

Rathmines Parish.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10, Rev. H. G. Forde. 4.30, the Rector. 7, Rev. H. W. B. Thompson.

Christ Church, Leeson Park.—8 and 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. F. Phair. 7, Rev. Dr. Lawlor.

St. Columba's Church, Rathgar.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. F. Short. 7, Rev. J. Tobin.

St. Peter's Parish.—8 a.m., Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. Chancellor A. H. M'Neile, D.D., Regius Professor of Divinity. 7, Evening Prayer.

St. Michan's, Church st.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Service.

St. Paul's Church.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. E. J. Young. Rev. E. M. Bateman.

St. Mark's.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. Bird, D.D. 7, Rev. T. Pearson.

St. Mary's Parish.—11.30, Rev. J. Riversdale Colthurst. Rev. J. G. Gage Dougherty.

St. Mary's Chapel of Ease.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. J. G. Gage Dougherty. 4, Rev. J. U. Gage Dougherty. 7, Rev. J. Riversdale Colthurst.

St. Werburgh's Parish.—11.15, Rev. W. J. M'Creery. 7, Rev. Dr. Deane.

Mission Church, Townsend street.—11.30, Rev. A. Hobson. 7, Rev. T. C. Hammond.

Rotunda Hospital Chapel.—11.30, the Chaplain.

St. James's Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. Crawford Irwin. 7, Rev. Ernest Hunt.

St. James's District.—11.30 (Holy Communion) and 4, Rev. Thomas Bradley. 7, Rev. J. Crawford Irwin.

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St. Andrew's.—8, Holy Communion; 11.30, Rev. R. Northridge. 7, Rev. M. Graham.

St. Ann's.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; 10 and 11.30, Matins and Sermon; 7, Evensong, Rev. Dr. Chadwick and Rev. Canon Somerville.

St. Bartholomew's.—8, Holy Communion; 11, Rev. Owen Slacke. 12, Holy Eucharist. 3.30, Rev. Owen Slacke. 6, Litany. 6.30, The Baptism of Christ Church.

St. Thomas's.—11.30 and 7, Holy Communion.

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St. Bride's, Castleknock.—11.30, Matins and Celebration. Sermon, Rev. F. M. Griffin, O.P.

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A WAR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE has been formed, and those interested in the Movement are invited to communicate with Professor J. RUSSELL GREIG, Secretary to the Committee.

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Gifts in money or any kind whatever, especially Farm Produce, Vegetables, Fruit, Fowl, Eggs, Butter, etc., are earnestly asked for, and may be sent to Trafalgar Hall on 8th or 9th December. Those unable to send will please communicate with the Honorary Secretary, who will have them called for. Mr. Rochford Dale, Auctioneer, has kindly consented to conduct the Sale.
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PUBLIC NOTICE—TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
I, CHARLES WESTROPP ROBERTS-WESTROPP, at present residing at 14 Patrick's Hill Cork, formerly known as the Rev. C. W. Roberts-Westropp, of the Diocese of Cork, Cloyne, and Ross, hereby give notice that on the 5th October, Nineteen Hundred and One, I consent to be a Clergyman and a Member of the Church of Ireland, although my name still appears in the list of Clergy in the Irish Church Clerical Directory and all other Clerical Directories.
Signed, C. W. ROBERTS-WESTROPP.
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Application Forms will be issued on and after November 1st, 1919, and must be returned to the College before January 24th, 1920.
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STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.
The Voting Papers for the Election of 9 Pupils on 8th December, 1919, have been issued. Voters whose papers may not come to hand are requested to apply at once to the Secretary, at the Office, 40 Molesworth street, Dublin. A subscription of 10/6 gives One Vote; a donation of £5 5/- a Life Vote.

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MORNING SERVICE, 11.30 o'clock,
By Rev. E. M. BATEMAN, M.A.,
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EVENING SERVICE, 7 o'clock, by
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SPECIAL ADVENT SERMON
TO-MORROW (DECEMBER 7th), 7 p.m.
Subject—The Ground of Justification.
Preacher—Rev. T. J. HAMMOND, M.A.
All Welcome.

CHURCH OF IRELAND HOME MISSION SOCIETY.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL,
DECEMBER 7th, 3.30 p.m.
Preacher:
Rev. Canon NEWPORT J. D. WHITE, D.D.
Subject:
The Missionary Spirit of the Old Testament.

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The Irish Times.
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1919.

Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson, who has arrived in Paris, had a consultation yesterday with Marshal Foch. It is understood that the Allies are about to send an ultimatum to Germany in connection with her evasion of her obligations under the Peace Treaty, and that Marshal Foch has told the Supreme Council that he has the means at his disposal to enforce obedience on the part of Germany.

According to an Exchange Company's message from Washington, a resolution declaring the war to be at an end has been introduced in the Lower House there.

In the House of Commons yesterday the Government of India Bill and the National Assembly of the Church of England (Powers) Bill were read a third time.

The text of the Housing (Additional Powers) Bill, together with the conditions regulating its application to Ireland, was issued yesterday. It places a maximum sum of £15,000,000 at the disposal of the Minister of Health for the purpose of grants in aid, enables the local authorities to borrow and to lend money in connection with housing schemes, and to issue bonds bearing interest at the rate of 5½ per cent. In Ireland the county councils are authorised to make loans under the Act.

Mr. Shortt, Home Secretary, speaking at Exeter last night, referred to the forthcoming Home Rule Bill. He said that every man, woman, and child in Ireland would denounce it, but when the measure was forced upon them they would, after grumbling about it, work it wholeheartedly.

Carpentier, the victor of Thursday night's boxing contest in London, has signed a contract to meet Dempsey in London next year for a purse of £35,000.

The terms of the settlement of the dispute between the Irish banks and their officials are published this morning.

Additional details regarding the attack on the shooting party in North Clare go to prove that the outrage was premeditated, a barricade of stones having been erected across the road to hold up the motor cars. Despite the surprise nature of the attack, the occupants of the two cars put up a plucky resistance, and, though seriously injured, they succeeded in forcing their assailants to retire.

In connection with the prohibition of fairs and markets in the County Clare, a number of local gentlemen have issued a statement requesting the Government to withdraw the order, which, they say, is seriously interfering with the agricultural community.

In London yesterday the Stock Markets were heavy, and prices gave way under Paris selling and realising on home account. Consols and War Loans were lower. Money was in ample supply, and call loan rates were unchanged. The Discount market had a cautious tone. In Dublin there was a more favourable tendency in the market. War Loan and "Wicklow" Stock were weak.

The Government and Ireland.

The Government's programme has got into a tangle which the Prime Minister despairs of unravelling on this side of the new year. He has decided, therefore, to drop his most contentious measures for the present, and to give Parliament a Christmas holiday, during which the Cabinet, like Mr. Kipling's banjo, will have time "to change its leg and go again." No doubt, Mr. Lloyd George will explain the new situation to-day in his speech at Manchester, which is expected to contain special comfort for the Liberal section of the Coalition. Ireland will be affected in two ways by the coming prorogation of Parliament. The Home Rule Bill will be carried into next year. The Education Bill also disappears from view, but with no promise of an early resurrection. The second reading was to have been taken next week; now there is no definite prospect that it ever will be taken at all. We deplore this particular result of the Government's abrupt change of plan, for the Bill introduces the principle of a most valuable reform in Irish education. Furthermore, the postponement is very unfair to the national teachers, whose promised increases of salary were involved in the Bill. We hope that the Irish members will insist on a definite settlement of the claims of these long-suffering men before Parliament rises for Christmas. Although the practical consideration of the Home Rule Bill is deferred, the Prime Minister has decided to bring it before Parliament without further delay, since, apart from Irish interest in the matter, powerful influences in the United States are clamouring that "something shall be done." He will introduce the Bill in about ten days' time, explaining its chief provisions and giving the House of Commons opportunity for a first reading debate. The Bill, however, will not be printed before Christmas, and the second reading debate is postponed indefinitely.

Mr. Lloyd George is a clever man, and we suspect that American pressure is not the chief cause of his anxiety to bring the latest Irish experiment before the footlights. The Cabinet's first thoughts were simple and decisive to the verge of hardihood. A Cabinet Committee was instructed to draft a measure of self-government, without any regard for the state of Ireland or the views of the Irish people. This measure, when blessed by Parliament, was to be "imposed" on the four Irish provinces—and so the problem which had baffled British statesmanship for forty years would be solved satisfactorily in *saecula saeculorum*. The Committee did its duty with bland and unquestioning obedience. Its scheme was settled harmoniously and in "record" time, unhampered by the inconveniences of Irish criticism or warning. Ireland is to be divided permanently into two water-tight compartments, with a Unionist minority, small and helpless, in the South, and a Nationalist minority, large and aggressive, in the North. All the present departments of Irish administration are to be multiplied by two. The bond of identity between North and South, which has survived the fiercest feuds and hatreds of three hundred years, is to be abolished, though, by way of *camouflage*, a theoretical "link," doomed to remain a metaphysical abstraction, will be constituted by Act of Parliament. This scheme was to be "imposed" on Ireland, presumably by the naval and military forces of the Crown. It had all the neatness of a Euclidean diagram—on paper—but we think that Mr. Lloyd George is beginning to have his doubts. We think that he has begun to realise the difficulty of "imposing" this, or any, measure on a unanimously reluctant people. Therefore, we think that the new Parliamentary arrangement has been devised to test alike the views of the Irish people and the feelings of the House of Commons. If, when Mr. Lloyd George introduces the Bill, it is disliked by Parliament and shouted down in Ireland, the Christmas holidays will give him time to reconsider the position. His first reading speech will not commit the Government irrevocably. Abroad, it will please the United States; at home it will be a useful *ballon d'essai*.

The first reading debate must bring Parliament and the English people into contact with the facts of Irish life and the real nature of the Irish problem. Discussion, if it be honest and well-informed, must convince the House of Commons of two things—that the Irish question never can be settled on a basis of partition, and that a country where conspiracy and crime flourish and are tolerated is not fit, so long as those conditions prevail, for any form of self-government. We hope that the House of Commons will insist that the Government's first duty in Ireland is the restoration of law and order, and will instruct it to fulfil that duty before the Cabinet Committee's revised proposals are brought up for second reading. In its present task the Irish Executive deserves the sympathy and support of both Houses of Parliament. We do not pretend that the Executive has not made mistakes. We do not suggest that, with a rigid pursuit of consistency, it ought to adhere to methods which may have failed to achieve their purpose or may have achieved them at too great a cost. To-day we publish, from a body of gentlemen in County Clare whose loyalty is above suspicion, a protest against the prohibition of fairs and markets in that county. They say that, while the system inflicts severe loss on traders and farmers, it has not been effective in the prevention or punishment of crime. They suggest that the recent crimes are condemned by all sections of the local community. The matter, however, is of the gravest difficulty. Within the last few days at least three of the gentlemen who identify themselves with this protest have been the victims of murderous assaults, for which nobody has been made amenable. Is it possible to suppose that these things happened without the tacit connivance of a countryside? Nevertheless, the protest is entitled to the utmost respect, and we hope that the Executive will not hesitate to be guided by it in so far as the paramount necessity—the protection of life and property—will allow. That consideration remains, and must remain, supreme. It is most unfortunate that the innocent should be compelled to suffer with the guilty; but are innocent majorities free from blame when they refuse all aid to the Executive in the fulfilment of its arduous and righteous task?

The Bankers' Settlement.

We publish to-day the terms of the agreement between the directors of the several Irish banks and the Irish Bank Officials' Association. The document is a triumph of compromise, and our readers will join us in hearty congratulations to all parties concerned. From the outset of the controversy we insisted that two basic principles must underlie any satisfactory and permanent agreement. The Bank Officials' Association must be recognised, and the banks safeguarded against any interference in matters of management or policy. Both these principles have been upheld. On the one hand, recognition has been secured by the Association, and, on the other, adequate safeguards have been provided for the control of the banks. The banks have conceded the right of the Association to deal with the conditions of service of the officials. This concession is of enormous importance; it amounts to a guarantee that the *status* of the officials will be raised to a level compatible with their worth and their responsibilities. The officials in their turn have agreed not to interfere with matters which relate only to the competence of the directors. The latter will be at liberty to dismiss, promote, or transfer whom they will. Thus within their proper sphere they retain their sovereign power. Wages, hours, and pensions will be referred to arbitration. Each side will nominate an arbitrator, and these in turn will choose an umpire, whose decisions will be binding and final. Furthermore, membership or non-membership of the Officials' Association shall not be counted to any man either for righteousness or for unrighteousness. Clauses 6, 7, and 8 of the agreement are of paramount importance. They contain a valuable object-lesson for all those who are, or are likely to be, concerned in industrial disputes. According to these clauses the officials bind themselves to refrain from "lightning" strikes, and, what is even of greater importance, from so-called "sympathetic" strikes. "No stoppage of work will take place on any question not directly affecting the banks parties to this agreement," and no strike will be declared in any bank on a matter "which is entirely domestic to another bank" so long as the general principles of the agreement are not violated. This undertaking by the officials establishes their claim to loyalty and good-will beyond a doubt. It raises the relations between employers and employed in the Irish banks to a plane vastly higher than that on which most trade disputes are waged and temporarily won. It stamps the bank officials as reasonable and public-spirited men. We rejoice that the unhappy controversy has been settled; but we rejoice even more at that spirit of the document which marks its end. We can find nothing of that niggardly cheese-paring which so often mars industrial "settlements"; there are no "mental reservations." An honest, straightforward agreement has been made of which generosity on the one hand and loyalty on the other are the most striking features. If the same spirit of mutual trust and of consideration for the public were manifested in every branch of Ireland's commercial and industrial life, strikes would be few and a real partnership between Capital and Labour would be brought within sight of its final accomplishment.

Too Much Meat.

The Food Controller is anxious to remove all the restrictions on the sale and distribution of meat. The large stocks of imported meat on hand or in immediate prospect are far in excess of the probable demands, especially as consumption, owing to high prices, is less than before the war. There is likely to be a glut in the market, and, if prices were ruled by the law of supply and demand, there would be immediate and sweeping reductions. Mr. Roberts has made commitments, however, of which he cannot easily rid himself. These relate chiefly to the home supply of meat. It will be remembered that some time ago he fixed a scale under which wholesale prices rise at intervals until they reach a *maximum* figure between the middle of next May and the end of July. The immediate effect of the introduction of this scale was an advance in the cost of store catt

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FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE NATION'S DEMAND FOR FRANK DEALING.

Anticipating Mr. Lloyd George's speech at Manchester to-day, *The Times* reminds him that the nation is restless and suspicious, and asks him for frank dealing. To this temper of the nation, says *The Times*, Mr. Lloyd George cannot be blind. He can restore public confidence if he wishes, but he can only do it by infusing into his administration a very different spirit from that which it has shown in the autumn sittings of Parliament, which he proposes shortly to bring to an end. This very decision to prorogue before Christmas, and throw most of its programme over-board, is thoroughly bad. The industrial life of the nation will never resume its normal course until the *status* of the coal industry is finally settled. Yet the Government propose to hang up the Coal Bill until February, while the miners' campaign for nationalisation is gathering momentum up and down the country. Ireland is a still more urgent problem, as the Government plainly recognise by announcing that they will introduce their bill in the week after next. Again, the guillotine falls, and the proposals are to be left to take care of themselves for two critical months, during which repressive measures will presumably be continued. It has been proved over and over again that you cannot achieve an Irish settlement by easy stages, and it is almost inconceivable that the Government should have forgotten that fatal conjunction of the issue of the Report of the Convention and the passing of the Irish Conscription Clause in the last Military Service Act. There are a score of other decisions, affecting particularly labour and commerce, which the Government are leaving to take their chance amid the crowd of new problems which will certainly arise for solution in the session of 1920. Behind all stands the financial spectre, which grows more gaunt and threatening as the drastic demands of the Spending Departments are confirmed, to the hostility to the nation. And the nation will expect the Prime Minister in a grave hour to ignore irritabilities of personal and party advancement, and to meet national needs by a national policy such as the mass of the people can accept, and all can understand and respect.

THE IRISH BILL.

The Prime Minister, says *The Times*, has decided to introduce the Bill for the future government of Ireland himself, and probably on Monday week. The bill is well forward. The principles have been settled, although a fair amount of detail remains to be filled in. Notwithstanding interested rumours to the contrary, it is the fact that the scheme of Mr. Walter Long's Committee for two Legislatures—one for the whole of Ulster and the other for the rest of Ireland—with a National Council as the connecting link, still holds the field.

CARDINAL MERCIER AND THE GERMANS.

The Times publishes to-day a first instalment of Cardinal Mercier's War Memories, which differ from the other recollections of the war which have hitherto appeared, in that from first to last they dwell upon the moral aspects of the struggle. He grasped at once that the real issue was between right and wrong, and neither threats nor flatteries induced him for a moment to compromise his conscience and his religion. In his first communication with Baron von Lancken, the German "Governor-General," he stated with manly frankness what he conceived to be his duty to be. He told von Bissing that among Belgians this official was the representative of a usurping and hostile nation, in whose power they asserted their right to independence, "and as guardian of the moral and religious interests of Belgium," he raised his voice in a protest against the injustice and the violence done to his countrymen. "We proudly decline to waive our rights or our unshakable confidence in the future," he added in the letter which the brother Cardinal at Cologne, which von Bissing refused to forward. From this attitude he never swerved to the day when Baron von der Lancken came to inform him that the German evacuation was at hand, and that the Belgian political prisoners would be immediately released. "You are to be the incarnation of conquered Belgium," the German official announcement declared. How fully the great Churchman had earned the description has been long known to all the world. His famous Christmas Pastoral of 1914 revealed to them his lofty patriotism and indomitable courage. Were it not for the grim background of the suffering people, his encounters with the unfortunate von der Lancken would be the finest comedy. But the background is always there—the tortured Belgians, whose stubborn patriotism won the official recognition of the Germans themselves. Of that patriotism Cardinal Mercier was a mainstay throughout the whole of the dread ordeal.

LITVINOFF'S INTRIGUES.

The Copenhagen Correspondent of *The Times*, telegraphing yesterday, says:—The conferences between Mr. O'Grady and M. Litvinoff were resumed yesterday, but it is difficult to say how long they will continue. M. Litvinoff as stated to have suggested a very liberal arrangement, provided that only British privates were set at liberty, while the officers were kept back, to which Mr. O'Grady replied that the soldiers would only go with their officers. Meanwhile it is manifest that M. Litvinoff did not come here simply to negotiate an exchange of prisoners, and this breach of promises given to the Danish Government has caused much consternation in Danish circles. Whether M. Litvinoff has directly touched on the larger issues during his conferences with Mr. O'Grady is not known, but he has indirectly approached him with bids for the repeal of the blockade. The reason for placing the question of the blockade in the fore-front is obvious. Only if the Bolshevists are able to offer the peasants machinery and manufactured articles will they be induced them to give up grain in return. Grain is badly needed, and as Soviet Russia's only port, Petrograd, is now ice-bound, desperate efforts are also being made to reach peace with the Baltic States, and to obtain goods through their ports.

NEW YORK COAL RESTRICTIONS.

The New York Correspondent of *The Times*, telegraphing under yesterday's date, says—The Fuel Administration to-day replied to the protests of foreign shipping interests against the embargo placed upon bunker coal for ships not carrying the American Flag. It states that the action it has taken, though regrettable, is absolutely necessary in view of the coal famine which immediately threatens the Middle West and a large section of the West. In refusing coal for foreign ships, the American Government, it points out, is acting on the principle adopted by the British Government during the railway strike. Even American ships are being rationed. Henceforth they will have to refer all requests for coal to the Fuel Administration. In many Eastern ports there are abundant supplies of coal, but they are being taken as fast as possible to the Middle West and other parts of the country, where the suffering is most acute. Loud complaints are, indeed, being received from the interior, that the Eastern States are not "playing the game," by voluntarily undergoing restrictions, and sharing their coal with the rest of the country.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

There were few features of interest in the Stock markets, says *The Times*, and the general tone was dull, but, in most directions, showing a further contraction. The price of the 5 per cent. War Loan reached a new low level, although, in the early hours, the markets showed more resistance. Japanese Bonds advanced on American buying, while Peruvian Corporation Preferred, after falling heavily on the dividend statement, recovered practically the whole of the initial decline. Argentine Railway Stocks came into favour, and at the Mining end of the house there was a disposition to buy some of the smaller-priced South African Shares.

NEW KNIGHT OF ST. PATRICK.

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Mrs. Hickson, Clyde road	2	0	0
The Misses A. and A. Nolan, Wellington road	2	0	0
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William Mitchell, Esq., Birr	1	1	0
Mr. and Mrs. W. George Burton,	1	1	0
J. Hyde Ffolliott, Engineer's Office, Broadstone	1	1	0
Miss Vivienne Smyly, Merrion square	1	0	0
J. L. Atkins, Esq., Morehampton road	1	0	0
Mrs. Hannah Fitzpatrick, Maryborough, "In memory of my dear husband, 2nd Lt. J. J. Fitzpatrick, 2nd R.M.F., who was killed in action on the Somme, on July 20th, 1916"	1	0	0
Miss Dixon, Shankill	1	0	0
Mrs. Creagh, St. Anne's Hill Hydro, Cork, "In memory of her son, Lieutenant Wm. Creagh, Leinster Regt., killed in action in France, March 6th, 1917"	1	0	0
Rev. T. M. Patey, Hon. C.F.	1	0	0
Cecil Jeffreson, Esq., Grosvenor road, "In memory of my brothers, Victor and Clarence, killed in action, 1915 and 1916"	1	0	0
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ALLIES AND GERMANY.

AN ULTIMATUM POSSIBLE.

FOCH READY TO ACT.

SIR HENRY WILSON IN CONFERENCE.

Telegraphing from Paris on Friday, the Press Association's Correspondent says: Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson arrived here to-day, and had a conference with Marshal Foch.

"Pertinax," writing in the *Echo de Paris*, says that at Thursday's secret meeting of the Supreme Council M. Clemenceau and Marshal Foch explained that the unexpected departure on November 23rd of the plenipotentiaries sent from Berlin, and the controversies in which the Germans have been indulging for the last month, leave no room for doubt that it is time to act. Only an ultimatum, they considered, can get the Allies out of an embarrassing situation. "Pertinax" goes on to say that Marshal Foch promised that should an ultimatum have to be sent, the necessary means to enforce it would not be lacking, and that we are in a position to carry out the plans prepared by him last June, the threat of which brought the German plenipotentiaries to Versailles.

The *Matin* says:—A summons to Germany to sign the protocol will, without doubt, be drafted. The paper considers that the participation of Marshal Foch at the conference of the five leaders of the delegations indicates clearly enough that the question of military action in the event of Germany committing an infraction of the treaty, however slight, was discussed. If the prolongation of the conference, continues the *Matin*, should give rise to a discussion, it may be supposed that Great Britain will have no objection, for our Ally is uncompromising in cases where her naval interests are concerned.

M. Saint Price writes in the *Journal*:—What will be the attitude of the Allies? The fact that Marshal Foch was consulted indicates quite clearly that the question of military action was under consideration.

FRANKFORT AND ESSEN MAY BE OCCUPIED.

An Exchange Paris telegram says:—At a meeting held by the Supreme Council on Thursday, at which M. Clemenceau, Mr. Polk, Sir Eyre Crowe, Signor Scialoja, and Baron Matsui attended, Marshal Foch was guessed regarding the steps to be taken to enforce the requirements from Germany. It is affirmed in well-informed circles that the Allies will occupy Frankfort and Essen, unless the German sign.

The *Matin* reports that the Berlin *Abend Zeitung* announces that the French garrison in Hesse and the Rhenish Palatinate has been strengthened during the last two weeks. Fresh reinforcements of 1,500 men reached Ludwigshafen about November 13th. At Mayence the garrison has been increased by 500 men.

The alarming state of the situation in Germany, says a message dated Paris Friday, and of the measures to be taken in connection therewith, was not continued to-day, but will be resumed to-morrow, as there were technical questions to be discussed to-day.

THE AMERICAN DELEGATION.

The *personnel* of the American Delegation to the Peace Conference will, says a Press Association telegram, leave Paris on Monday night, although three delegates are staying until Tuesday evening. All will sail for America on Wednesday. Mr. Wallace will be the only remaining representative of the United States on the Supreme Council. It is understood that Mr. Wallace will have only diplomatic powers, without authority to take definite action on the important questions that still remain to be discussed. It is considered possible that the future course of the negotiations may lead to the modification of the conditions of Mr. Wallace's participation in the Conference. No further postponement of the delegates' departure is, however, considered probable.

UNITED STATES AND GERMANY.

A joint resolution, says an Exchange message from Washington, has been introduced in the Lower House declaring the war ended.

HOME RULE BILL.

TO BE INTRODUCED BY MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

The proposals of the Government for Irish Home Rule will, it is understood, be introduced by Mr. Lloyd George himself. There will be no time in the present session for a second reading debate, and the bill is not likely to be printed until next year.

MR. SHORTT AND IRISH OPINION

Mr. Edward Shortt, M.P., Home Secretary, speaking at Exeter last night, referred to the work of the Government in Ireland, he said, could stand the test of investigation. He was content with the terms of peace imposed on enemy countries. They were stern terms, but just terms, and they should be enforced. We care not, he went on, whether delegates suddenly disappear from Paris; we care not if they make reactionary moves under the terms of guard, civil, or anything else; they are the terms agreed on and they will be performed. (Cheers.) It may be that those who were locked on as the founders of the League of Nations have changed their minds, and will take no part in it. Should that be the case, we can still carry on and still do what the League was intended to do. We do not intend that what might almost be called a divine structure like the League of Nations shall be destroyed for the want of one storey. (Cheers.)

Ireland, he said, was an old sore, and the Irish question could only be dealt with in the way which turned South Africa from active foes to loyal Allies. The Cabinet was now drafting measures which would enable Home Rule to be put into practice in a workable way. He knew that it was said that the Irish stuck us in the back in 1916 because they refused conscription. All the charges were true against a certain small section, but were they to condemn the whole Irish people because a few were openly hostile. All their armies had been full of brave Irishmen. He could tell them that the great majority of the Irish wanted to remain within the Empire. He was sure that the new measure would be sufficient. Every man, woman and child in Ireland would denounce it, but when the measure was forced upon them they would, after grumbling about it, work it whole-heartedly. It was not rule from England that the Irish objected to, but rule from Westminster.

NEW KNIGHTS.

The King has appointed Frederick Terry Rowlatt, Governor of the National Bank of Egypt, to be a Knight Commander of the British Empire for services in Egypt.

For services rendered in the Sudan, Colonel Herbert William Jackson, Acting Governor-General, has been appointed a Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire.

THE MEXICAN QUESTION.

MR. JENKINS RELEASED.

A Reuter's Washington telegram of Friday says:—President Wilson conferred this afternoon with Senators Fall, Hitchcock, and Wilshehouse on the Mexican situation. Mr. Lansing, Secretary of State, called an official Cabinet meeting for to-morrow morning, presumably to discuss the same question.

A Reuter's New York telegram of Friday says:—The American Embassy in Mexico City has notified the State Department that Mr. Jenkins, American Consular Agent, whose detention was the subject of the recent Note to Mexico, has been released.

Mexican officials at Washington state that the report of the capture of General Villa is unfounded.

A number of American concerns doing business in Mexico have begun to arrange for the removal of their employés to the United States, says a telegram from El Paso (Texas), dated Thursday.

PREMIER'S MANCHESTER SPEECH.

It is understood that Mr. Lloyd George, in his address at Manchester to-day, will deal mainly with the home political situation. The speech may be taken as specially addressed to Liberals throughout the country, and important references to the future of the party are anticipated.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—With a deep depression near Iceland, barely stationary, strong S.W. or W. breezes are probable over the United Kingdom, with squally and unsettled weather.

Ireland—Strong W. to S.W. breezes; mainly dull; rain; at times squally; mild.

TERMS OF THE BANK SETTLEMENT.

RECOGNITION OF UNION.

CERTAIN POINTS RESERVED.

As announced in the *Irish Times* yesterday, an agreement satisfactory to all parties was the result of the conference held on Thursday last between Irish bank directors and their officials in regard to the demands of the latter made through their organisation, which is known as the Irish Banks Officials' Association.

The banks concerned were:—The Bank of Ireland, Royal Bank of Ireland, Ulster Bank, Belfast Banking Company, Munster and Leinster Bank, National Bank, Hibernian Bank, Provincial Bank, and Northern Banking Company.

The news of the settlement was received with satisfaction by all classes in the city and country. The conference was held under the presidency of Mr. Gordon Campbell, Irish Secretary of the Ministry of Labour, and the agreement was, it is understood, ratified at meetings of the directors of the various banks yesterday.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT.

The terms of agreement, copies of which were issued by the Ministry of Labour to the Press yesterday evening, are as follow:—

THE BANK OF IRELAND, THE ROYAL BANK OF IRELAND, THE ULSTER BANK, THE BELFAST BANKING COMPANY, THE MUNSTER AND LEINSTER BANK, THE NATIONAL BANK, THE HIBERNIAN BANK, THE PROVINCIAL BANK, AND THE NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY,

AND

THE IRISH BANK OFFICIALS' ASSOCIATION.

It is agreed:—

1. That the several banks will recognise the right of the Association to deal on behalf of its members with the directors on the following matters:—
   (a) Minimum scale of salaries and allowances supplemental to salaries.
   (b) Rates of bonuses during exceptional times.
   (c) Hours of work.
   (d) Remuneration for overtime.
   (e) Insuring allowances and pensions.
   (f) Widows' and orphans' fund.
   (g) Vacations.
   (h) Marriage restrictions.
   (i) Lunching facilities.
2. That if, on the complaint of any member of the Association, and after considering any statement made by him, the Executive Committee of the Association is of opinion that his case calls for further consideration by the directors concerned, the members of the Executive Committee who are in the employment of the bank concerned, together with the secretary of the Association, not being a bank official, will be entitled to make representations on the case to the directors, and to receive any further information in their possession which influenced their action, provided that the disclosure of such information is not, in the opinion of the directors, prejudicial to the interests of the bank.
3. That the Association will not be entitled to discuss with the directors the case of any official who is dismissed.
4. That, so long as every official is on the salary fixed by the minimum scale to be settled, as provided in paragraph 9, the Association will not be at liberty to discuss any question of promotions.
5. That the Association will not be at liberty to interfere in any question of the removal of individuals from one office or department to another.
6. That no stoppage of work will take place in any bank or banks until the expiration of a period of seven days after the Association shall have served the directors of such bank or banks with notice requiring the question in dispute to be discussed at a meeting with the Association, in accordance with this agreement, and the directors will, during that period, take no action to the prejudice of the Association or its members.
7. That no stoppage of work will take place on any question not directly affecting the banks parties to this agreement.
8. That no stoppage of work will take place in any bank on a matter which is entirely domestic to another bank and which does not involve any question as to the general principles established by this agreement.
9. That the following matters, so far as they relate to permanent officials, will be referred to arbitration:—
   (a) A minimum scale of salaries and allowances supplemental to salaries.
   (b) Rates of bonuses during exceptional times.

And also the following matters, if not otherwise disposed of:—
   (c) Hours of work.
   (d) Remuneration for overtime work.
   (e) Lecturing allowances and pensions.

One arbitrator will be nominated by each party. An umpire will be appointed by agreement between the arbitrators or, failing agreement, by the Ministry of Labour. The decision of the umpire on any point on which the arbitrators fail to agree will be final and binding. The terms of reference will be settled by agreement between the parties.

In the case of the Royal Bank, the above matters will be discussed, in the first place, between the directors of the bank and the members of the Executive Committee of the Association who are in the employment of the bank, together with the Secretary of the Association, not being a bank official. If an agreement is not thus arrived at, these matters will be referred to arbitration.

10. That the case of any class of officials not included in the arbitration proceedings will be considered, if necessary, at a further meeting between the directors and the Association.

11. That no question will be raised as to the membership or non-membership of the Association of any individual on the staff of any bank.

RURAL BANK BRANCHES TO CLOSE.

EFFECTS OF RECENT EVENTS.

The announcement is definitely made that, in consequence of the disturbed state of Ireland, of the recent robberies throughout the country, and the attitude of the Irish Automobile Drivers' and Mechanics' Union regarding the permits for motors, the bank authorities have decided to close down their rural sub-branches, which are usually worked on certain days weekly from their provincial head offices. In Wicklow district this order will affect several branches, and will cause considerable inconvenience to the public, who trade extensively through these branches. The officials usually travel by motor car, and for a long time past the roads on those special days had been strongly patrolled by constabulary, who watched for the passing of the bank cars. It is understood that locally the chauffeurs expressed a desire to be relieved of this onerous and responsible duty on face of recent events. The new regulation will, it seems, take effect at once.

THE ATTACK ON CLARE SHOOTING PARTY.

A PREMEDITATED OUTRAGE.

ROAD BARRICADED.

CONDITION OF THE INJURED MOTORISTS.

Additional details which have come to hand regarding Thursday's sensational outrage in North Clare show that it was a coolly premeditated and well-prepared attempt to murder some at least of the shooting party which Mr. H. V. MacNamara, D.L., had arranged to bring to his outlying preserves. The party was travelling in two motors, one containing Mr. MacNamara, Mr. Manning (a visitor, who had been in the Army during the war with Mr. MacNamara's son), Osborne (a keeper of Mr. MacNamara's), and the chauffeur, named Smith; and the second car containing the Hon. Edward and Lady Beatrice O'Brien and Mr. W. H. Ball, D.L. They had reached Shessymore Cross, when they suddenly ran into a barricade of stones across the road which brought the cars to a stop. Mr. O'Brien jumped from his car, and was going towards the barricade, when several shots were fired from behind it and from the roadside, which appear to have taken effect on several of the occupants of the cars.

ASSAILANTS BEATEN OFF.

The latter, though taken wholly unprepared, returned the fire, and a brisk fusillade ensued. It is stated that two at least of the attacking party, which, as well as could be calculated, numbered about twenty, were seen to fall, and there is reason to believe that they were badly hit. All the occupants of the cars were hit, Mr. Manning and Mr. MacNamara coming in for the worst injuries. The motor cars were also riddled with pellets.

When the assailants at length cleared away word of the sensational occurrence was sent to the nearest police barracks, and thence to Ennis. Mr. MacNamara's car returned to Ennistymon House, while the Hon. Mr. O'Brien's car returned to Roulevan, Ennis, where yesterday Mr. O'Brien and Lady Beatrice O'Brien and Mr. Ball, were attended by Dr. Counihan and Dr. Kennedy. Dr. Counihan was also called to Ennistymon House on Thursday night.

SERIOUS EXTENSIVE INJURIES INFLICTED.

As far as can be learned, all the party with Mr. MacNamara were wounded, and while in more than one case very considerable injury was done, no grave developments or loss of life are apprehended. Mr. MacNamara seems to have received a whole charge of shot about the face and the left arm (which was shattered). Mr. Manning, too, had his left arm fractured, while his right arm was also badly injured. His face also was peppered all over with pellets. Osborne, the keeper, who was sitting in front of Mr. MacNamara's car, has a fearful scalp wound, and had the course of the shot been an inch lower the top of his skull would have been pierced. Both his arms, too, were very severely injured. Smith, the chauffeur, received about thirty pellets, and the shot about the head. Mr. O'Brien was hit about the back and face, and at first fears were entertained that some of the pellets had penetrated to the lung, but no symptoms pointing to this have developed so far. Lady Beatrice O'Brien was struck by a number of pellets about the head, some near the eyes, but had a miraculous escape. Mr. Ball had a number of grains of shot about the head, and bled freely. The latest accounts are that all the victims are doing well.

MILITARY AND POLICE ACTIVITY.

Yesterday the countryside was being searched by military and police, the former under Colonel Cotton, and the latter under County Inspector Tyrrell, but up to the time of wiring no arrests had been effected. The outrage has caused a sensation throughout the country.

The Rev. W. W. Manning, one of Mr. MacNamara's shooting party at Ennistymon House, who was shot on Thursday, is the son of the Rev. T. W. Manning, of Waterford, and a brother of Mr. S. N. Manning, of 61 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin. Rev. W. W. Manning held a combatant commission in the Wiltshire Regiment, and lost his two elder brothers in the late war.

SUMMONING ADVERSE WITNESSES.

ADMIRAL SIMS AND SINN FEIN.

Under the former of these headings the following leading article has appeared in the *New York Times*:—

No blunder could have been more stupid than was that of the self-styled "Irish National Bureau" in causing or permitting one of its directors, in its name, to protest against the telling by Admiral Sims of what happened to the American sailors when on leave in Cork. To that protest Secretary Daniels now has made, as was inevitable, a reply that closes the case entirely, except as the plaintiffs care to discuss it with the defendant.

They are told with what must be to them most irritating suavity that they may do that if they choose, and may convince the Admiral, if they can, that he falsely presented a case with the details of which he must have been well informed. They are also told that the Admiral wrote after asking and getting the department's permission, but, as it had perfect confidence in his judgment, his articles were printed without undergoing any departmental censorship.

Thus must be hard enough for the Sinn Feiners to bear, but still more cruel are the sufferings which, as a result of their rash attack on Admiral Sims's veracity, American Navy men of various ranks who were the victims of persecution in Cork are proceeding to inflict on those who tried to combine a denial and a defence of that persecution. Letters from two such men appeared on this page yesterday.

Less considerate of Sinn Fein sensitiveness than was the Admiral, the writers of these letters pushed still further the charge of pro-Germanism against that organisation as worthily represented in Cork, and declared that Irish soldiers who fought the Germans were victims on their return to Ireland of a persecution as savage as were the American sailors.

That all the Sinn Feiners in Ireland and everywhere else were friends of Germany, and as active as they were able to be in helping her all through the war—that is an old story now, and, as the help was futile, not very important. What is important, however, is that the Sinn Feiners, to-day and here, are doing what they can to destroy the friendship between Great Britain and the United States—a friendship on which the safety of the world in no small measure depends—and that they gladly would provoke war between the two countries if they could. Compared with that form of criminality, pro-Germanism was white innocence.

STRIKE OF MOTOR DRIVERS.

The situation in connection with the strike of motor drivers in Dublin remains unchanged, and very few cars were seen in the streets of the city yesterday. Pickets again were active, and, according to the statement of the Secretary of the Irish Automobile Drivers' and Mechanics' Union, the strike movement is well supported, not only in the Metropolis, but also in the provinces.

A meeting of the drivers was held in the Trades Hall, Capel street, in the evening, and strong speeches were made. One speaker indicated the spread of the strike to other forms of labour.

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FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE NATION'S DEMAND FOR FRANK DEALING.

Anticipating Mr. Lloyd George's speech at Manchester to-day, *The Times* reminds him that the nation is restless and suspicious, and asks him for frank dealing. To this temper of the nation, says *The Times*, Mr. Lloyd George cannot be blind. He can restore public confidence if he wishes, but he can only do it by infusing into his administration a very different spirit from that which it has shown in the autumn sittings of Parliament, which he proposes shortly to bring to an end. The very decision to prorogue before Christmas, and throw most of its programme over-board, is thoroughly bad. The industrial life of the nation will never resume its normal course until the *status* of the coal industry is finally settled. Yet the Government propose to hang up the Coal Bill until February, while the miners' campaign for nationalisation is gathering momentum up and down the country. Ireland is a still more urgent problem, as the Government plainly recognise by announcing that they will introduce their bill in the week after next. Again, the guillotine falls, and the proposals are to be left to take care of themselves for two critical months, during which repressive measures will presumably be continued. It has been proved over and over again that you cannot achieve an Irish settlement by easy stages, and it is almost inconceivable that the Government should have forgotten that fatal conjunction of the issue of the Report of the Convention and the passing of the Irish Conscription Clause in the last Military Service Act. There are a score of other decisions, affecting particularly labour and commerce, which the Government are leaving to take their chance amid the crowd of new problems which will certainly arise for solution in the session of 1920. Behind all stands the financial spectre, which grows more gaunt and threatening as the decisive date approaches for the introduction of the next Budget. The

THOUGHTS AND THEORIES.

(CONTINUED FROM COLUMN 3, PAGE 7.)

I believe is known as the ultra-perpendicular period of architecture—the age of the cliff-dwellers—claims that stair-climbing strengthens the heart and improves the digestion. It may do so, but it lacks the interesting objective that usually makes terrestrial exercise attractive. I feel sure that if I lived in Merrion square, I should leap into fame by inventing a new form of indoor golf. Climbing up seventy-six stairs to look for a pipe which in the meanwhile has stealthily transferred itself to an overcoat pocket in the hall is a colourless form of amusement. Inject a flaming uncertainty as to whether your niblick shot is lying six inches from the drawing-room fanlight hole or is stymied behind the imitation Satsuma vase, and stair-climbing becomes a pleasure.

Though the cult of humanitarianism is grossly overdone, especially where Irish politicians are concerned, it cannot be excluded from our consideration of the Georgian mansion. I have always held that the moral and physical vigour of the Irish people is maintained largely on the distaff side. That there still remain in Dublin housemaids able and willing to carry scuttles of coal from basement areas to third-floor backs is an astonishing tribute to the hardihood and tenacity of the race. But there is also a psychological side to the matter which my own case nicely illustrates. A temporarily single gentleman in lodgings, I conduct my intrigues with Morpheus in a skyey chamber about 300 feet above sea level, and arise in the morning with the blithe *abandon* of a lark. The sun shines brightly; the rarified atmosphere has the flavour of sparkling wine. I smap my fingers in the face of Fate. Editors—Pooh! Publishers—Bah! I descend to my punctual rashers and coffee on the ground floor. A heavy fog obscures the outlook. Darkness pervades all. My spirits sink like lead. I am a misanthrope. Of what avail this struggle against inexorable Destiny?

On a subsequent occasion I propose to describe the ideal house. I see that the Government is prepared to pay £150 to anyone who will build a house, and I should not like any of my readers to build the wrong kind of house. As for my champion of the Georgian skyscraper, I confine myself to the modest prophecy that, when I and the Government and the builders' union once get to work, there will be a smile on the face of the Pembroke street rent-payer, and Georgian mansions will be selling six on a card.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN POETRY.

What is poetry? The question inevitably suggests the story of the young sporting gentleman who found himself at an intellectual dinner party, and, after listening to the conversation with bored bewilderment for a little while, turned to his fair neighbour and said, "Excuse me, but what are Keats?" We all flatter ourselves that we know poetry when we see it; nor is it difficult, as a rule, to say why inferior verse is not poetry, to analyse its defects and omissions. We may observe that it does not scan or is deficient in rhythm, that it contains solecisms, is prosy, lacks imagination, that the subject is not one which allows of poetical treatment. But it is rarely possible to find verse—I have a whole volume of it in front of me now—against which none of these criticisms can be aimed, and which, nevertheless, fails in some mysterious way to be poetry as I understand it.

I regret to say, I understand it badly, because I believe that there is no divine spark or aflatus which, if present, elevates verse to the *status* of poetry for all time and to all men. There may be universal poets, but the general proposition that what is poetry to one highly civilised community is unreadable poetry to every other civilised community is untenable. I seem to remember some recent discussion in which was broached the question whether poetry written by Irishmen in English could really be described as Irish, or whether it must not be regarded merely as a contribution to English poetry. To me it seems clear that, whatever may be the superior merits of the Gaelic tongue, the Irish people have sufficiently mastered and moulded to their own uses the English language that they can find in it an adequate vehicle of racial self-expression—in other words, that the essential "Irishness" of Irish poetry, if such a thing exists, can be conveyed to other Irishmen quite easily through the medium of English words and English forms.

Modern English poetry is mutually recognised as such on both sides of St. George's Channel, whether it is written by Mr. W. B. Yeats on this side or by Mr. John Masefield on the other; but this might very easily not be the case. If for St. George's Channel we substitute the Atlantic, it is not the case. English poetry—the poetry of to-day, that is—may really appeal to American readers, though I could never discover that it did. Modern American emphatically is not English poetry if judged by English standards and English taste. One might, of course, get over the difficulty by declaring easily and loftily that just at present there is no American poetry. The answer is that the American public is the best judge of that, and the American public, through their spokesmen, the literary critics, regard their current literature as rich in poetic vigour. The question cannot be answered in that simple way. I have in front of me two recently published anthologies. One is "The Golden Treasury of Magazine Verse," published by George Harrap and Co., it, as its name does not suggest, a comprehensive collection of poems by young Americans written within the last twelve years or so. The editor, Mr. William Stanley Braithwaite, is one of America's foremost literary critics. Most of the poems in the volume have appeared in collections published by the authors. Some of them, like Vachel Lindsay's "General Booth Enters Heaven," have been read on this side. Such well-known writers as Louis Untermeyer, Amy Lowell, Edgar Lee Masters, James Oppenheim, and Alan Seeger are also represented.

The other anthology is the fourth collection of "Georgian Poetry," published by the Poetry Bookshop. It contains poems written in the years 1918-1919 by a score of young English poets—Walter de la Mare, John Drinkwater, Harold Munro, J. C. Squire, John Freeman, and others less well-known. It does not represent the best of the English poets or the best work of the actual contributors. Yet I am left with this strong conviction—the English stuff is poetry, albeit not of the best. The American output is only verse, albeit verse of the very highest order. I do not think this is merely a personal view, but it is almost certainly a racial or national view. And I do not think I can explain it. What subtle ingredient is there in the lyrics of English and Irish bards that is wanting from the outpourings of the American poets? I do not know, but I would like to know, and so I ask again: "What is poetry?"

ROYAL VETERINARY COLLEGE OF IRELAND.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint Sir William I. de Courcy Wheeler, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., to be a member of the Advisory Council of the Royal Veterinary College of Ireland, in the room of R. F. Tobin, Esq., F.R.C.S.I., deceased.

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THE HOUSING BILL.

GRANT OF FIFTEEN MILLION POUNDS.

APPLICATION TO IRELAND.

THE LOCAL BONDS.

BORROWING AND LENDING POWERS.

The text of a bill introduced by Mr. Munro and Mr. Macpherson, to make further provision for the better housing of the people, to authorise the acquisition of land for the development of garden cities, or for the purposes of town-planning schemes, and to make further provision with respect to the borrowing powers of public authorities and bodies, and with respect to the securities issued by them, was published yesterday.

Clause 1 provides that (1) subject to the provisions of this Act the Minister of Health (in this Act referred to as "the Minister") may, in accordance with schemes made by him, with the approval of the Treasury, make grants out of moneys provided by Parliament to any persons, or bodies of persons, constructing houses for the working classes.

(2) Grants under this section shall be made only in respect of houses (a) which comply with the conditions as to construction prescribed by the Minister; (b) which are certified by the local authority of the area in which the houses are situate, or on appeal by the Minister to have been completed in a proper and workmanlike manner; (c) the construction of which is begun within twelve months after the passing of this Act, and which are completed within that period, or such further period not exceeding three months as the Minister may in any special case allow, provided that a proportionate reduction of the grant shall be made in respect of any house which is not completed within the said period of twelve months. Any person aggrieved by the refusal of a local authority to grant a certificate under this sub-section, in respect of any house, may appeal to the Minister, and if the Minister is satisfied that the house has been completed in a proper and workmanlike manner, he shall certify accordingly; (3) in so far as the provisions of any building by-laws are inconsistent with the conditions prescribed by the Minister under this section, those provisions shall not apply to any houses which comply with those conditions.

AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF GRANTS.

Clause 2 states that (1) the aggregate amount of the grants to be made for the purposes of the preceding section of this Act shall not exceed £15,000,000.

(2) A grant shall not be made under the preceding section of this Act in respect of any house in respect of which any payment out of moneys provided by Parliament may be made under Section 7 or Section 19 of the Housing, Town-Planning, etc., Act, 1919, and a payment shall not be made under those sections in respect of any house in respect of which a grant has been made under this Act.

Clause 3 provides that (1) any expenses incurred by the Minister under Section 16 of the Housing, Town-Planning, etc., Act, 1919, in connection with the conversion of buildings into separate tenements shall, subject as hereinafter provided, be paid out of moneys provided by Parliament.

THE ANNUAL PAYMENT.

The amount of the annual payment is set out in Clause 4, which says that—Section 7 of the Housing and Town-Planning, etc., Act, 1919, which provides for the recoupment out of moneys provided by Parliament of losses incurred in connection with certain schemes, and Section 19 of that Act, which provides for the contribution out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the cost incurred by public utility societies and housing trusts, shall respectively have effect as though for the words "equivalent to 30 per centum of the annual charges" there were inserted in each of those sections, there were substituted the words, "equivalent during the period ending on the 31st day of March, 1927, to 50 per centum, and thereafter to 30 per centum of the annual loan charges."

PROHIBITION OF LUXURY BUILDING.

Clause 5 deals with the prohibition of luxury buildings. Where it appears to a local authority that the provision of dwelling accommodation within their area is, or is likely to be, delayed by a deficiency of labour or materials arising out of the employment of labour or material in the construction of any works or buildings, and that the construction of those works or buildings is, in the circumstances of the case, of less public importance than the provision of dwelling accommodation, the authority is given power to prohibit for such time, and on such terms, and subject to such conditions as the Minister may from time to time prescribe, and either in whole or in part, the construction of those works or buildings. Any person aggrieved by an Order made by a local authority under this section may appeal to the Minister, and on such an appeal the Minister shall have power either to annul the Order, or to make such Order in the matter as the local authority could have made, and the decision of the Minister in the matter shall be final, and not subject to appeal to, or review by, any Court.

PROTECTION OF DWELLINGHOUSES.

Power is taken by Clause 6 to prohibit the demolition of dwellinghouses.

BORROWING POWERS.

The powers of borrowing for the purpose of the Housing Acts are set forth in Clause 7, which states that a local authority may, with the consent of the Minister, borrow any sums which they have power to borrow for the purpose of the Housing Acts, 1890 to 1919, by the issue of bonds (in this Act referred to as "Local Bonds") in accordance with the provisions of this Act. A County Council may lend to any local authority within their area any money which that authority have power to borrow for the purposes of the Housing Acts, 1890-1919, and may, with the sanction of the Minister, and irrespective of any limit of borrowing, raise the money required for the purpose, either by the issue of local bonds under this section, or by a loan subject to the like conditions, and in the like manner as any other loan raised for the purpose of their powers and duties, and subject, in either case, to any conditions which the Minister may, by general or special order, impose. It also says that the provisions set out in the schedule to the Act shall have effect with respect to local bonds.

APPLICATION TO IRELAND.

This Act, in its application to Ireland, shall have effect with the following modifications, namely:—

(1) References to the Minister of Health, or to the Minister, shall be construed as references to the Local Government Board for Ireland.

(2) References to the Housing Acts, 1890-1919 shall be construed as references to the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Acts, 1890-1919. References to the Housing, Town-Planning, etc., Act, 1919, shall be construed as references to the Housing (Ireland) Act, 1919, and references to Part 2, to Section 7, and to Section 19 of the first-mentioned Act shall, respectively, be construed as references to Part 1, Section 5, and to Section 15, of the last-mentioned Act.

(3) References to the Public Health Act, 1875, shall be construed as references to the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, and references to Section 279, and to Section 233, of the first-mentioned Act shall, respectively, be construed as references to Section 12, and to Section 237, of the last-mentioned Act.

(4) The reference to the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries shall not apply.

(5) Section 16 of the Housing, Town-Planning, etc., Act, 1919, shall apply to Ireland, as if it had been enacted in Part 1. of the Housing (Ireland) Act, 1919, with the substitution of "the Local Government Board for Ireland" for "the Local Government Board," and references in this Act to the said Section 16 shall be construed as references to that section as so applied.

PROVISIONS AS TO LOCAL BONDS.

(1) Local bonds shall (a) be secured upon all the rates, property, and revenues of the local authority; (2) bear interest at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum, or at such other rate of interest as the Treasury may from time to time fix as regards any bonds to be thereafter issued; (c) be issued in denominations of 5, 10, 20, 50, and 100 pounds, and multiples of 100 pounds; (d) be issued for periods of not less than five years.

(2) Local bonds shall be exempt from stamp duty, under the Stamp Act, 1891, and from the duty charged by Section 8 of the Finance Act, 1899, as amended by Section 10 of the Finance Act, 1907.

(3) The provisions of Section 115 of the Stamp Act, 1891 (which relates to composition for stamp duty) shall, with the necessary adaptations, apply in the case of any local authority by whom local bonds are issued, as if those bonds were stock or funded debt of the authority within the meaning of that section.

(4) Local bonds issued by a local authority shall be accepted by that authority at their nominal value in payment of the purchase price of any house erected by, or on behalf of, any local authority, in pursuance of any scheme under the Housing Acts, 1890 to 1919.

(5) The Minister may, with the approval of the Treasury, make regulations with respect to the issue (including terms of issue), transfer, and redemption of local bonds, and any such regulations may apply, with or without modifications, any provisions of the Local Loans Act, 1875, and the Acts amending that Act, and of any Act relating to securities issued by the London County Council, or by any other local or public body.

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PARLIAMENT.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA BILL.

THIRD READING CARRIED.

On the order for the third reading of the Government of India Bill in the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Adamson said that it was a legitimate aspiration on the part of the people of India that they should obtain self-government.

Sir J. D. Rees described the bill as a great experiment.

Sir Donald Maclean said that he regarded the bill as a great Liberal measure. Its progress had been remarkable. We must, in time, give to India that measure of self-government by which alone we could keep her marching along with us on the road of the world's progress.

Sir Henry Craik said that this was, perhaps, the most hazardous and daring step ever taken by the British Parliament.

Earl Winterton and Mr. Stewart having spoken,

Mr. Dennis expressed a fear that if the Indian Government had full control of fiscal policy it might discriminate against us, and give a preference to a great trade rival of ours, like Japan.

Colonel Yate expressed grave misgivings as to the results of the bill.

MR. MONTAGU.

Mr. Montagu said that he regarded the present as the most responsible and the proudest moment of his life. He had always, during his six years' association with the India Office, had before him the ambition of commending to Parliament what he believed was the only justification of the Empire, viz., a stage of self-government for India. The bill marked the end of the old era and the commencement of a new one. He would like all parties to forget the past, and start afresh. He welcomed with enthusiasm the great part taken by the Labour Party in the discussion of the bill.

The third reading was agreed to unanimously, amid cheers.

While Mr. Montagu was speaking, a young man in the Strangers' Gallery, one of the numerous company of thinkers occupying seats there, rose and called out—"Give complete Home Rule to India, and remove oppression." He then, with a wave of the hand, turned to leave the gallery. One of the gallery attendants at once hastened to the interruption, but the latter, without any further attempt at disturbance, walked out of the Gallery and left the House.

The National Assembly of the Church of England (Powers) Bill was considered on report. The report stage was concluded, and the bill was read a third time, amid cheers.

The House rose at 5 o'clock.

LIMERICK CORPORATION AND THE POLICE.

REFUSAL TO PAY COMPENSATION AWARDS.

At the meeting of the Limerick Corporation on Thursday night, the Mayor, Mr. A. M. O'Mara, presiding, a letter addressed to the City Treasurer was read from Messrs. P. S. Connolly and Co., solicitors, applying for payment of £525, the compensation awarded against the Corporation in the claims made by Mrs. Abinia O'Brien, Sergeant Golden, Constables Tierney and Fitzpatrick, arising out of the shooting affray at the Limerick Workhouse on the 6th April last.

Mr. Walton—The City Treasurer cannot pay without an order from this Council.

Mr. J. Dundon (solicitor)—If conditional orders are served on the Town Clerk am I to take any action? These orders may be served before the next Council meeting.

Mr. M. Griffin said that the Council would not pay, as the police were trespassers at the Union on that occasion.

A letter was also received from Mr. A. Blood-Smyth, solicitor, in respect of compensation awarded to Constable Grogan, for injuries sustained in a riot in the city.

On the proposition of Mr. James McInerney, seconded by Mr. J. O'Connor, payment of the awards was refused.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND.

At a meeting of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, held yesterday, Mr. John B. Story, President, in the chair, Major-General R. H. Sawyer, A.M.S., F.R.C.S.I., was unanimously elected a member of the Council, in the place of the late Mr. Richard Dancer Purefoy.

ARRESTS IN NENAGH.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. W. Hoolan, clerk in the County Council office at Nenagh, was arrested. Subsequently a force of police proceeded to the Silvermines and arrested Mr. John O'Brien, who was recently released after standing three trials in connection with the Silvermines shooting.

HUNGER-STRIKERS RE-ARRESTED.

Martin Breen and Robert Condon, released some weeks ago from Mountjoy Prison following a hunger strike, have been re-arrested and sent back to the Dublin prison.

TIPPERARY POLICE BARRACKS RE-OPENED.

Annacarthy Police Barracks, about four miles from Tipperary, which had been closed before the war, has been re-opened and a strong force established there.

THE POLICE AND GRENADES.

Mr. Denis Henry writes, in reply to a question by Mr. Waterson, that hand grenades had been issued to the Royal Irish Constabulary for the purpose, he supposed, of safeguarding the lives of the police when they were attacked, and to provide them with means of dealing with their armed assailants. There was no truth in the statement that the police had been instructed to use them against unarmed crowds.

BROWN BEARS.

Brown bears are found in Europe, Asia, and America. Although these have local differences of colour they are very closely allied. Some are almost chestnut, while others are nearly black. In the Dublin "Zoo" can be seen two varieties quite close together. The common European variety is in the larger division of the cage. These used often be seen performing in the streets with their owner, who came from the Pyrenees or the Tyrol most commonly. The present occupant of the cage began life as a real "Teddy bear" in a shop window in London, being presented to the Dublin Gardens when too big for exhibition. In the smaller division may be seen the rare variety from Turkestan. When young these have a much lighter fur, and the tops of the ears are white. The skins of these animals when emerging from their winter sleep, being then in the best condition, are exceedingly valuable. Bears are structurally carnivorous animals, but have become adapted to a vegetable diet. In a wild state they eat comparatively little flesh. Grass, fruit, and honey are appreciated. Give it an orange, and watch the cute way it can remove the peel, and only eat the pulp.

SIR ALFRED MOND LIBEL ACTION.

Sir Alfred Mond was yesterday awarded £5,000 damages, with costs, in his action for libel against Mr. Harry MacLeod Fraser and Mr. Henry Hamilton Beamish. An application was made for the injunction to be made permanent, and Mr. Justice Darling ordered that it should continue.

PROHIBITION OF FAIRS AND MARKETS.

PROTEST FROM CO. CLARE.

The following "statement" was unanimously adopted at a meeting held in Ennis on Saturday last, at which the following were present:—Sir Michael O'Loghlen, Bart., H.M.L.; Colonel O'Callaghan Westropp, High Sheriff; Mr. W. W. A. Fitzgerald, D.L.; Mr. R. J. Stacpoole, D.L.; Mr. Marcus Keane, D.L.; Mr. F. W. Gore-Rickman, D.L.; Mr. F. N. Studdert, D.L.; Captain Fitzgerald-Blood, D.L.; Hon. Edward O'Brien, Mr. G. de L. Willis, Mr. Charles O. Keane, Mr. W. J. Macnamara, and Captain George Studdert. (Letters apologising for unavoidable absence, and strongly approving of the objects of the meeting, were read from Lord Inchiquin, D.L.; Colonel Tottenham, D.L.; Mr. H. V. Macnamara, D.L.; and Mr. W. Wilson-Lynch, D.L.):—

The action of the Government in prohibiting the holding of fairs and markets in the County Clare during the past four months, without an official permit, has from an early period been the subject of serious and anxious consideration by everyone interested in those branches of the cattle trade which are the staple industry of this county.

This action is understood to have been adopted in the hope that it would result in the prevention of crime and outrages, and in the discovery and conviction of the perpetrators, and, if it were possible to share that expectation, we should feel that all classes should (and in this county we believe that most people would) submit to considerable inconvenience and loss without complaint. From the outset, however, it was impossible for anyone well acquainted with local facts and conditions to expect any such result, while it was also evident that this course of action would most seriously interfere with and injure the legitimate and staple industry of the whole district, and inflict undeserved loss and punishment upon a whole community, for crimes which have certainly met with no approval from any section, and some of which appear to have been the work of the agents of some secret political organisation outside the county.

Strong representations on the subject were made to the Chief Secretary in September and October by various local public bodies and the County Clare Farmers' Association, and by many representative men who were in a position to know that these prohibitive regulations were causing great injury to the whole agricultural interest, and were producing nothing but a generation of injustice and irritation, which could only make the whole social and outlook worse and worse. Their respectful representations, however, were entirely disregarded, and, accordingly, on 4th November, a meeting similar to the present was held in Ennis, when a resolution to the whole subject was unanimously adopted, and copies of it were at once sent by Sir Michael O'Loghlen on our behalf to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, the Prime Minister, and the Chief Secretary, in the hope that our views might receive favourable consideration, and that we might be compelled to the unwelcome alternative of making any public remonstrance, as we fully recognised that the Government had to deal with an administrative position of the greatest difficulty. We have, however, received nothing but a formal acknowledgment of our statement from the Prime Minister and the Chief Secretary, and no acknowledgment from His Excellency.

In the meantime, the whole situation, and the general sense of irritation from the policy of the Government, have been getting more and more serious. In the period under review fifty-one fairs would have been held in the county in ordinary circumstances, and only two have been permitted.

If such outrages as have unfortunately occurred in the past some months in this county had become prevalent in a similar area in England, Scotland, or Wales, would the Government have adopted any policy in respect of them that would have crippled and injured the staple trade or industry of the district, and penalised the whole community; and, if they did, would it be tolerated by public opinion for one week? Here, however, such a policy has been in operation for practically four months, and we venture to say that it has not prevented a single outrage or produced a single conviction, while it has produced new and serious difficulties both for the Government and for large sections of the people of this county. We respectfully claim, therefore, that the time has fully come when these prohibitions of fairs and markets should be finally withdrawn. In further support of this request we beg to quote the following paragraph from the statement which we adopted and sent to the Government on 4th November:—

"In making this request we wish to say at once that we should willingly acquiesce in almost any reasonable restrictions that the Government may think necessary to adopt in order to prevent the commission of such crimes or outrages as have recently occurred in this and other counties, or to assist in discovering their authors or perpetrators. But we are unable to believe that closing every fair and market, as results, can be obtained by indiscriminately imposing serious loss and inconvenience on all classes in the community, in even those large districts where there has been no exceptional increase of crime, and, in many districts, also, it imposes undeserved penalties on the innocent, and, by creating a general feeling of irritation, it really tends to increase the risk of crime and outrages by the discontented or criminal.

"The principle upon which that sanctioned by Parliament in the Acts relating to compensation for criminal or malicious injuries, in the administration of which the courts carefully endeavour, as far as possible, to limit the penalties to the district where the crime or outrage may seem to have originated, and even to exempt innocent individuals in that district.

"Any such policy is also open to the objection that it is most uneven in its operation, and that it can be, and in numerous instances has been, successfully evaded or defeated. There are districts where crimes or outrages have been exceptionally prevalent, but they are within easy reach of markets and fairs in an adjoining county, and so are comparatively unaffected by the Government prohibitions. In more remote districts, where there has been little or no exceptional crime, farmers have not only cattle, and pigs to sell at same fairs, but, of course, at much inconvenience and substantial loss. Again, cattle dealers are allowed to go freely to the holdings of the larger farmers, and to purchase and take away their stock, but it is not worth a dealer's while to visit the small holdings. These small men, therefore, have endeavoured to arrange with dealers to attend at certain crossroads to purchase their stock, but the Government prevent these sales whenever they hear of them.

"Passing from objections of a general character, we desire to point out that any such policy is exceptionally oppressive, injurious, and irritating under the system of farming prevailing in the County of Clare. It is mainly a grazing county for raising stores, most of which have to be sold at the end of the grass season, as few of their owners have sufficient winter keep. With the exception of one small fair, however, we believe that no fair has been allowed to be held in the county for more than three months, with the result that many thousands of young cattle are now held up, and are deteriorating in value every day for want of sufficient food.

"We have heard that the Government hope by their present measures to obtain information as to the perpetrators of these crimes or outrages. We are unable to share that expectation. Any persons possessing such knowledge almost invariably live in one-story houses, in lonely situations, and could not give such information or evidence to the authorities with out the gravest risk to themselves and their families. In many cases, however, the facts have indicated that the perpetrators of an outrage came from a distance (apparently as agents of a secret political organisation), and are entirely unknown to people in the locality.

"We are clearly of opinion that whatever may be their views on political questions there is no appreciable proportion of the population who regard these criminal acts with any approval whatever. There are, doubtless, hot-headed fanatics here and there (as there are everywhere), but, apart from any question of principle, it is contrary to human nature and experience to assume that any material number of ratepayers approve of doings that largely increase their taxation without any benefit to themselves.

"It is also within any knowledge that, owing to these restrictions, farmers are now being advised to abandon all extra tillage, and that tenants are being canvassed to pay neither rents, interest in lieu of rents, nor purchase annuities, so long as markets and fairs are not permitted. We venture to hope that such advice will not be largely adopted. Increase of all agricultural products is one of the best objects of the Government, and nothing should be done to discourage it.

"We feel it our duty, as it is also our wish, to place these views before the Government privately, in the hope that our representations may be successful. If, however, the Government cannot see their way to alter their present policy, we must, however reluctantly, endeavour to make our views public, and to take such steps as may be open to us to bring them before both Houses of Parliament."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE IRISH EDUCATION BILL.
Position of Technical Education.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am desired by the Standing Council of this Association to send you the enclosed statement and resolution adopted at a meeting (specially convened to consider the Education (Ireland) Bill which was held in Dublin on the 3rd instant. The Standing Council is elected at the annual Technical Congress, to which delegates are sent from every technical instruction committee in Ireland; and it is, therefore, entitled to express the opinions of those directly responsible for the work of technical education in every part of the country.

The deliberations of the Council extended over several hours, and the statement may, therefore, be taken as deliberate conclusions arrived at after careful consideration of all the provisions of the bill affecting technical education.—Yours, etc.,

THOMAS J. HAYES, Hon. Secretary,
Irish Technical Instruction Association.

Lynmere, Blackrock, Co. Dublin,
December 5th, 1919.

STATEMENT AND RESOLUTION OF THE STANDING COUNCIL OF THE IRISH TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION REGARDING THE IRISH EDUCATION BILL.

The Standing Council of the Irish Technical Instruction Association held a specially convened meeting in Dublin on December 3rd to consider the Irish Education Bill in so far as it relates to technical instruction.

The bill, as it stands, has a most serious and unexpected effect upon the position of technical instruction in Ireland, and the Standing Council are of opinion that the technical instruction committees and joint committees of agriculture and technical instruction throughout the country should at once take action in regard to it with a view to having it amended in this respect.

Contrary to general anticipation, the bill does not confine itself to returns in the Board of National Education and the Intermediate Education Boards. These bodies it abolishes, but it also breaks up the organisation of the successfully working Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction by transferring all its functions in relation to technical instruction to a new authority. It further abolishes the representative Board of Technical Instruction which is attached to the Department, and the technical instruction committees (county borough, urban and county) throughout the country as they now exist.

The Standing Council have accordingly decided to issue this statement and the accompanying synopsis of the provisions of the bill as they affect technical instruction for the information of the technical instruction committees.

They have further adopted the following resolution:—

"That whilst we express no opinion on those parts of the bill which deal with primary and secondary education, we are of opinion that, for the present at all events, it would be unwise to disturb the existing system of administering technical education through the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, the Board of Technical Instruction, and the technical instruction committees and joint committees of agriculture and technical instruction, which for the past twenty years has been working in second with popular feeling and with conspicuous success.

"That we ask that the bill should be amended so as to leave those bodies which had the advantage of admirable organ accompaniments, was greatly appreciated. The clergymen taking part were—The Very Rev. the Dean, Rev. Canon J. O. Hannay, Rev. R. Campbell Gurney, and the Rev. J. Tobias (minor canon). Notable absentees this year were Dr. Marchant, organist; and Mr. Charles Kelly, but their places were admirably filled, the former by Mr. William E. Hopkins, whose organ accompaniments were a feature of the service. To his credit also, it should be said, that the fine tone observed by the boys throughout was to a great extent due to his efforts. The work, as a whole, indeed, was rendered with much fervour, and the solo contributions were alike excellent and acceptable. The choruses, too, were impressively sung, the parts being nicely balanced, and the full effects of the concerted pieces brought out with all the results that could be desired. The congregation also showed that much care and attention had been bestowed on the rehearsal of the work, and its success fully justified the efforts of all taking part. Among the soloists engaged in connection with the service were:—Master Bertie Irwin, Master Buchanan, Messrs. J. Martin, T. Marchant, — Payne, Wesley Guard, J. R. Morgan, and John Gill, all of whom, as already indicated, admirably acquitted themselves. Mr. Hopkins had a lot of work to do at the organ, and he presided at it with customary ability. The collection was in aid of the Choir Superannuation Fund.

THE CONTROL OF IRISH RAILWAYS.

In Irish railway trades union circles it is believed that a scheme is being formulated by the Irish railway managers to divide the railways between two Control Boards, one for the South and the other for the North and West. The Irish Council of the National Union of Railwaymen had the matter under consideration at a meeting recently, and adopted a resolution demanding that only one representative Irish authority should be formed under the Ministry of Transport, on which the railway workers would have equal representation with the managers. In the opinion of the Irish railwaymen, the establishment of two Control Boards would not be in the interests of transport and the efficient working of the railways.

CHAPLAIN'S EXPERIENCE AS A PRISONER OF WAR.

A lecture, illustrated by lantern slides, entitled "A Guest of the Kaiser," being the experiences of an officer prisoner of war, was given in the Hall of the Dublin City Y.M.C.A., Upper Sackville street, last night by the Rev. Richard Bird, D.S.O., formerly a senior chaplain to the Forces, attached to the 16th (Irish) Division. The chair was taken by Sir Henry McLaughlin, who introduced the lecturer as a man who had done his duty and more besides.

Mr. Bird described the German attack of the 21st March, 1918, on the Irish Division holding the line in front of Ste. Emilie. The lecturer was himself taken prisoner in a dense fog in the early morning at Lempire, with many wounded of the Irish Division, who suffered great hardships in a forced march back to Le Cateau. Mr. Bird said that the generally accepted assertion that Germany was better organised than ourselves for war was wrong, and he was struck with the often total lack of organisation, especially in sanitary matters, which came under his notice. The eagerness of the German soldiery to get butter and fats of all descriptions was very noticeable. On the march into Germany prisoners were actually seen to eat grass in search of nourishment. Mr. Bird was confined in a prisoners of war camp in the middle of Carlsruhe, where there were to be found officers of all the Allied nations. The general idea of the German people was that France was the aggressor, and that the Fatherland was fighting in self-defence. Mr. Bird was eventually housed in Holzminden Camp with 600 other officers, where they were zealously guarded. If it had not been for the parcels of food sent out from home many prisoners would have died. The various means by which information was sent home were detailed, and an account of the monotonous life led by prisoners was given, illustrated by very clear lantern views. The interesting and instructive lecture by one who had actually experienced the rigorous life of a prisoner of war was much appreciated by a large audience.

LYONS FAIR, 1920.

As announced in our advertising columns, the annual Lyons Fair will take place in March next year. The event is universally renowned as a great annual market for exhibits of the world's products, and as such has become a very popular institution amongst manufacturers, producers, and commercial men generally. Thither each year come thousands of representatives from every sphere of industrial and commercial activity. The Fair provides the same opportunity to Irish manufacturers and producers, and should certainly be availed of to the utmost. The closing date for entries will shortly arrive, and there is little time to be lost.

PROTRACTED WEXFORD LABOUR DISPUTE.

An effort to terminate the Wexford foundries dispute, in which close on 1,000 men are involved, has been unsuccessful, as the moulders refuse to accept an increase of 5s. offered in accordance with the findings of the Committee on Production, and adhered to the original demand of 15s. for men and 7s. 6d. for apprentices.

FARMERS' ASSOCIATION.

Kilkenny, December 5th, 1919.

A SUCCESSFUL POUND DAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I again, through the medium of your paper, thank the many kind friends and subscribers who have contributed so liberally towards our Pound Day? It is, indeed, a pleasure to receive letters from so many old patients enclosing a contribution, or getting a parcel of something useful from them. I wish also to thank the managers of the various theatres and picture-palaces, and also the United Tramway service for so kindly advertising for us, free of charge.

The net receipts amount to £120 9/, and the actual foodstuffs weighed over 960 lbs.—Yours, etc.,

ROSIE MATOS.

Royal City of Dublin Hospital,
Upper Baggot street, Dublin,
December 5th, 1919.

FEMALE TYPISTS, G.P.O., LONDON, Sept., 1919. FIRST DUBLIN PLACE and 8 of the 9 Dublin successes direct from McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin.—(Advt.).

Fashionable Intelligence

The Earl of Granard was the guest this week of Lord Lascelles at Portumna.

Viscount Jellicoe was sixty yesterday.

Lord Rathdonnell has returned to Lisnavagh, Carlow, from Dublin.

Sir Hercules Langrishe arrived in Dublin yesterday, *en route* for the South of Ireland.

Sir Watson Rutherford, M.P., will shortly leave for the South of France, where he proposes to take two months' rest.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place early in February, between Maurice Storey Moore, late Scottish Horse and R.F.A., and only surviving son of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Maurice Moore, of Westburn House, Sunderland, and grandson of Samuel Storey, D.L., Southill, Chester-le-Street, and Rowena Mary, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deane Leitrim, of Kathleen Mabel Victoria, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, of Morristown Biller House, Newbridge, Co. Kildare.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place early in January, between Rev. John Herbert Jackson, The Rectory, Ballyconnell, Co. Cavan, second son of J. Jackson and Mrs. Jackson, "Maymount," Portadown, and Dora Grace, youngest daughter of the late W. Middleton and Mrs. Middleton, Jasmine House, East Dereham, Norfolk.

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Archie Bayly, F.R.C.V.S., late Lieutenant R.A.S.C., youngest son of the late J. D. Bayly and Mrs. Bayly, of Wanganui, New Zealand, and Laura Irene, only daughter of D. Henry Bailey, J.P., of Dunamase, Dalkey, Co. Dublin.

The engagement is announced between Captain Ernest Campbell Mark, B.E., A.M.I.C.E. (late R.G.A.), eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Mark, of Parc de Villas, Victoria road, Cork, and Ida Maud, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Comber, of Ashenhurst, Guildford, Surrey.

The marriage arranged between George Tedcastle, Lieutenant Indian Army, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Colquhoun, Bracside, Drumchapel, Glasgow, and Gladys Florence, elder daughter of Mrs. Keatley, Newbridge, Co. Kildare, and the late Mr. W. Keatley, will take place shortly in India.

Irish Toys—Special Exhibition of an Exclusive Collection at Switzer's, Grafton street.

Our Model Evening, Dansez, and Afternoon Frocks have arrived.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South George's street.

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THE DUBLIN Week-end Paper is the "Weekly Irish Times." Last Edition on Sale every Saturday morning. Price three halfpence.

LAW REPORTS.

GALWAY LAND AGITATION.—In the Chancery Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Powell, the hearing of the application of the Right Rev. Monsignor McAlpine, P.P., Clifden, Co. Galway, against James B. Joyce, to compel specific performance of an agreement, dated July 8th, 1916, was, for the third day, continued. The defendant is a victualler in Clifden, and the agreement was one by which Mr. Joyce purported to surrender certain lands in the neighbourhood, which he had previously acquired by purchase. The rev. plaintiff was acting as trustee for a number of his parishioners who wanted the lands, known as Clifden Castle and demesne, to be divided amongst them. There was a certain amount of combination and agitation amongst the people to obtain the land from Mr. Joyce, whose case was that he had been coerced to enter into the agreement to sell by the intimidation and undue influence of the plaintiff and those who acted in concert with him. Mr. Joyce asked to have the agreement cancelled. Further, Mr. Patrick J. Joyce, son of the defendant, stated that he was himself a victualler and farmer. At Mass on January 27th, 1918, the plaintiff stated that a number of his parishioners had called upon him, and informed him that they had heard that the Clifden Castle estate was sold to a man named Joyce, who lived either in Clifden or in Westport. The plaintiff said that he did not care whether the purchaser came from Clifden, Leenane, Westport, or Timbuctoo, he would make it hot for him. Later that day a deputation waited upon his (witness's) father, and asked him to surrender the lands. His father refused, and asked one of the deputation, a man named McDonough, if he was their leader. They replied in the negative, and said that their leader was Canon McAlpine. A man named Keady said that his (witness's) father would never put his foot inside the Castle farm. The deputation then left, shouting: "Grabber, surrender, or you will need police protection." On that evening his windows were broken, and on the following Sunday Canon McAlpine said that the grabber was now known, and that he (plaintiff) had blessed graves of grabbers in other places, and that in six months afterwards there was no trace of them, and that within six months he would bless the graves of the Clifden grabber. The witness then gave an account of the general boycotting and interference with his father and members of his family. Sergeant R. Finn, R.I.C., who was stationed in Clifden in the last six months of 1918, said that he saw what was going on, and he denied the suggestion that the police had acted partially. He saw girls with sticks annoying the defendant at a fair, and following him all around. Witness took the sticks from the girls, and cautioned them. He heard Canon McAlpine say to Mr. Joyce on one occasion, "You will remember 1918." He had a stick in his hand. Mr. Brown, K.C.—Probably he was trying to keep the peace? Probably he always did his best to keep the peace. This closed the evidence for the defence. Mr. J. B. Hill, R.M., recalled, in reference to the evidence given by the defendant and his brother, stated that he had made no reference to Mr. Micks having been on the Clifden Castle farm. He had never mentioned Mr. Micks' name. He did not state that there was only 60 acres of arable land. He did not say to Mr. Joyce or his brother that they could not have police protection. When the defendant came into the magistrates' room in Galway, after the proceedings in Court were all over, the first thing he said to him was that he (witness) thoroughly understood that he had a legal right to make the purchase, and to do what he had done. He would not say that the defendant or his brother had committed perjury, but he did say that their memories sometimes stumbled very badly. The only inducement he held out to Mr. Joyce was the money settlement. Mr. Barry, D.I., R.I.C., recalled, stated that about the 1st July, 1918, he had a casual conversation with Mr. Joyce, who told him that he would put cattle on the farm too, and that he would want police protection. Witness said that the police were giving all the protection that they could give. In reply to the judge, the witness said that a couple of days after he had the conversation with Mr. Joyce he asked for extra police to be sent to Clifden, because he expected that there might be some trouble if he put cattle on the farm. The extra police were not sent, and the defendant was not told the reason. He did not remember telling Mr. Hill that he had applied for extra police. Head Constable Fitzpatrick, R.I.C., re-called, warmly denied the statement made by Mr. Joyce, J.P. (defendant's brother), and by the defendant himself, on the previous day, that the police at Clifden did not perform their duties impartially. He characterised the statement as an infamous falsehood. Witness also denied with emphasis the statement or suggestion that he conveyed anything that was told to him on this subject to Canon McAlpine. He had never, directly or indirectly, communicated with Canon McAlpine after hearing canvassers' speeches. Mr. Justice Powell reserved judgment.

BELFAST HARBOUR COMMISSIONERS AND THEIR EMPLOYES.—In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Moore and Mr. Justice Samuels, the case of John Hollis and nine or ten others against the Belfast Harbour Commissioners was mentioned. Mr. M'Gonigal, K.C., with whom was Mr. Lowry (instructed by Mr. T. Erskine Alexander) applied on behalf of the several plaintiffs for orders that sums lodged in court with the defences, be paid out to the plaintiffs. The plaintiffs were in nine of the cases husband and wife. The men had joined up at the beginning of the war in 1914, relying upon the promises of the Harbour Board that half wages would be paid to their dependents during their absence. The total thus promised, totalling £938, had been paid into court, and the question was whether it was to be paid to the men or to their dependents. It was a great hardship to the plaintiffs that the money should be tied up in court. Mr. Thompson (instructed by Messrs. Carson and McDowell) for the defendants, said that the Commissioners were willing to carry out the orders, but that they had not got the information to enable them to exercise their discretion. His impression was that the parties were standing at arm's length, and that the employes were looking on it as a grievance that they should have to dispose their private affairs to the Commissioners. Mr. M'Gonigal said that that was a wrong impression. Mr. Thompson said that he had gone into the matter with Mr. M'Gonigal, and they had arrived at figures which they thought were reasonable, and if these figures were acted on a great deal of trouble would be saved. The Judge adjourned the matter till Wednesday next for the production of the consents, &c., mentioned.

TOWN LANDLORD AND TENANT. — In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Gibson, Mr. Justice Moore, and Mr. Justice Samuels, a case of interest to town tenants was heard. Mr. James Henry (instructed by Messrs. A. Plunkett and Co.) applied on behalf of Mrs. Teresa Bolger for an order for possession of the dwellinghouse, 228 North Circular road, Dublin, formerly 2 Rosemount terrace. The defendant was Robert O'Donnell, an employe of the Great Southern and Western Railway Company, tenant of the premises. It was admitted that Mr. O'Donnell had paid his rent of £23 a year punctually. The ground on which the applicant claimed the order was that under the terms of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Act the house was "reasonably required" by herself, as she was at present living in a house where she had to mount stairs, and which by reason of her rheumatism caused her great pain. In an affidavit Mr. O'Donnell stated that owing to the condition of his wife's health he wanted the house. He had considerable difficulty in obtaining a suitable dwelling elsewhere, and had offered a considerable premium to Mrs. Roche if she did not disturb him. After argument a settlement was arrived at, and judgment was entered for the plaintiff, with a stay of execution until the 1st of April next, the defendant to continue in occupation at present rent. Mr. Cecil Pforde (instructed by Messrs. Bradley and Son) appeared for the defendant.

Division (Matrimonial), before Mr. Justice Samuels, in the case of Maud Moore v. John Gore Moore, Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor) applied on behalf of Mrs. Moore, the petitioner, who now resides in Dublin, for an order attaching the respondent, of Clarinbridge, County Galway, for his failure to pay arrears of alimony due under an order made by the Lord Chief Justice on the 6th August, 1919, directing the respondent to pay to the petitioner alimony pendente lite at the rate of £3 per week, to commence on the 25th June, 1919. The petition was for divorce, *a mensa et thoro*, on the grounds of cruelty. The respondent had been applied to for payment of the alimony, but had made default, and paid nothing. Counsel read portion of a letter written by the respondent to the petitioner's solicitors. Referring to the operations of a process server in the County of Galway, the letter stated that "this process server had nearly broken his ankle riding a bike over to serve me, when a Miss Feiner said all they regretted was that he didn't break his neck, and that such as he and his employers had reduced the blood of the county to water, worse than Lloyd George's beer and skittles." Mr. Justice Samuels—He seems to have some wild ideas from that letter of his. Mr. Dockrell also mentioned in the course of the application that the respondent was the owner of landed property in the Queen's County. Mr. Justice Samuels made the order sought, with costs, and stayed execution for a week. He directed that notice of the order should be posted to the respondent, and that he should be informed that he would be liable to be attached if he did not pay.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Saturday, December 6th, 1919.

M.M. COURT OF APPEAL.—For Monday next, 8th December.—For Hearing: Final Appeals—15 re Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906—Dennis v. Midland Railway Co.; Recorder of Derry, part heard; in re Reps. of People Act, 1918—Campbell, appt.; Purdy, respt., part heard; County Court Judge of Tyrone; same v. Quinn, appt.; Sinclair, respt., County Court Judge of Tyrone.

KING'S BENCH.—Monday next, 8th December.—The Master of the Rolls in the Court of Appeal.

IN THE HON. MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—For Monday next, 8th December, Actions and Adjourned Summonses to be Mentioned: Ex parte Dolan; Dolan v. Dolan; Doyle v. Burke v. Maloney; Johnston v. Johnston; Preston v. Beresford; Healy v. Healy; Corrigan v. Gilmartin; M'Cormick v. Dornan; Gibson v. Gravdon; Kelly v. Sheridan; National Bank, Ltd., v. Wexford Harbour Commrs.; Carroll v. Joe Hearne; M'Cullen v. Kelly; Keeley v. Keeley; Louty v. Longford.

ADMIRALTY.—For Monday next, 8th December. Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Gordon, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, 11 o'clock. Ex parte Motions. Summonses—Officers and crew of the s.s. Westmeriden v. the owners of the Maples, for cargo and freight.

MICHAELMAS SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—King's Bench Division. The City Jurors, having been summoned, need not attend until Monday next, 8th December. For Monday, 8th December, City Special—Rose v. Crane (personal injuries, specially fixed; Maguire v. Murray (probate); Keane v. Hall (instructed); City Common—Chilcott v. Reiney (by consent to be resumed; Dunne v. Dunne (probate); Greenfield v. Greenfield (probate); Dixon v. D.U.T. Co. (1,096, 14s. personal injuries); Hudson v. same (personal injuries). For Tuesday, 9th December, City Special—Barlow v. Grimston (defamation, specially fixed; Beatty v. Beatty (probate); Merrin v. Monks (personal injuries); Dunlop v. Anderson (probate); City Common—Kelly v. the Anglo-American Oil Co. (personal injuries); Harmsworth v. Harmsworth (probate); Carroll v. Carroll (probate); Campbell v. Dexter (slander). For Wednesday, 10th December, City Special—Lenz v. Dunne (probate); Dixon v. Pride (goods sold); Ring v. Healy (probate); Hickey v. Nolan and another (trover). For Thursday, 11th December, County Special — Cimone v. Prizeman (false imprisonment). For Friday, 12th December, Non-Jurors—Mintrop v. Mayr (goods sold); Carbery v. Carbery (matrimonial); Germain v. Lucas and Lucas (probate). For Monday, 15th December, City Special—M'Conney and others v. Belfast Harbour Board (breach of contract); Doherty and ors. v. same (breach of contract). Session and ors. v. same (breach of contract), specially fixed. For Tuesday, 16th December, County Appeals—James Colford, executor, v. Thomas Brown and Edward Cleveland. City Assessment Committee v. Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Co.; appellants; John Kenney, appellant, v. the Corporation of Dublin; Richard D. Wade and Letitia Fretwell, appellant; John Kelly v. Owen Simms, appellant; Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company v. Peter Ward, appellant; John M'Nally v. Dublin Boulyard Co.; Mary Ann Hughes (substitute); Margaret Hughes (substitute); Margaret Hughes (substitute); Edward (O'Brien), appellant, v. Herbert Hore; John Kelly, appellant, v. Tom Simms; Peter Hore v. Corporation of Dublin and Dublin Co. Council, appellants; Annie Smyth, appellant, v. the Dublin Corporation; Mary Ann Hughes (substitute).

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Land Purchase Acts. At the Examiners' Chambers, No. 24 Upper Merrion street, before Mr. Bonaparte at 11 o'clock—William G. & Kate Gore (O.D.R. 10049), vend.

ALLEGED POSSESSION OF ARMS AND EXPLOSIVES.

COURTMARTIAL IN DUBLIN.

At Ship street Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, Major B. C. S. Clarke, D.S.O., presided at a courtmartial which assembled to investigate charges against Edward Malone, Dunbrin, Queen's County. They consisted of:—Having in his possession ten detonators, without the permission of the competent military authority; having in his possession, without lawful authority, a document containing statements likely to cause disaffection; having in his possession a document, the publication of which would be likely to prejudice the discipline of the R.I.C.; and being in possession of a Winchester rifle without proper authority.

Captain H. J. Jones, attached 12th Lancers, prosecuted.

The accused, replying to the President, said that while he had no personal objection to the members of the Court, he did not recognise the tribunal.

The President read extracts from some of the documents alleged to have been found on the accused. One was entitled, "An Open Letter to an Irish Policeman."

Captain Jones detailed the proceedings which led up to the prosecution, and put in the documents necessary for a trial by court-martial. He said that on the 31st October documents were found in a chest-of-drawers in the bedroom of the accused. Ten detonators were also found, in addition to a pocket-book, which contained a crude drawing purporting to be a plan of a hay-shed for construction. Accused had no land of his own, and lived with his uncle. He would not require a hay-shed, and when the police examined the hay-shed at the residence of the accused they found a Winchester rifle at a place in the shed, indicated by a cross in the plan which was made in the note-book. He submitted that the evidence connected the accused with the possession of the rifle, and that the object of the plan was to assist the memory of the accused, or to enable others to find the weapon, and this could be easily done by aid of the plan.

District Inspector Lionel T. Yates, R.I.C., Athy, deposed to arresting the accused, whom he now identified, on the 18th of last month, at the house of Michael Malone, Ballyculane, County Kildare, on a charge under the Defence of the Realm Act. He made no statement. The order for the arrest came in April last, but the accused could not be found until last month.

The accused declined to cross-examine the witness.

District Inspector F. J. McGuire, R.I.C., Westport, stated that on the 31st of October last he accompanied County Inspector Supple and District Inspector Madden, with a party of police, to the house of Michael Malone, Gunbrin, Ballylinan, Queen's County. The accused was in bed. They searched the bedroom, and found in a drawer of a chest-of-drawers ten detonators, some letters and papers, and a pocketbook, in which there was a diagram of a hay-shed. The detonators were wrapped in paper and enclosed in a cigarette box.

The accused declined to cross-examine the witness.

County Inspector Supple, R.I.C., Naas, stated that early in November he received through the post, with other papers, a notebook (produced). He made a copy of the diagram in one of the pages of the notebook and sent it to District Inspector Madden, Kildare. The copy produced was the copy that he sent to him.

District Inspector Robert A. Madden, R.I.C., Kildare, stated that on the 31st of October he assisted County Inspector Supple to search the house of Michael Malone at Dunbin, Queen's County. In a chest of drawers in a room where accused was in bed he found a bundle of leaflets headed, "Open letter to an Irish Policeman" (copies produced), and a leaflet headed "Sinn Fein" (also produced). Some of the drawers were locked, and the accused handed the keys which opened them to witness. On the 13th February last with Sergeants Hoffman and Thompson witness was in charge of a party of police, and again went to the house of Michael Malone at Dunbin. He had a diagram (produced) with him which he had received from County Inspector Supple. The diagram was that of a hayshed, and on searching it Sergeant Hoffman found a Winchester rifle (produced).

Sergeant Robert Hoffman, R.I.C., Athy, said that he found the rifle concealed in the hay. He discovered the rifle by means of the diagram which was found in the notebook.

Constable Carney, R.I.C., Athy, stated that he was present when the hayrick was searched, and saw Sergeant Hoffman finding the rifle (produced).

Sergeant Thompson, R.I.C., Monastervan, was examined, and said that he searched portion of a shed which contained some barley and hay at the house of Michael Malone, but did not find anything. He saw other policemen searching another shed.

The accused did not cross-examine the witnesses.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

The accused, in reply to the President, said that he had no statement to make; but he wished to point out that it was a strange thing that although the diagram was found on the 31st October, 1918, the rifle was not found until the 13th February, 1919.

The Court afterwards closed, and the finding will be promulgated.

POSSESSION OF REVOLVER AMMUNITION.

YOUNG MAN CHARGED IN DUBLIN.

A district courtmartial, at which Major B. C. S. Clarke, D.S.O., of Barbadoes Barrackshire Regiment, presided, assembled at Ship street Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, to investigate a charge against John Gannon, Bluebell, County Dublin, of having in his possession, at Bluebell, on the 18th November last, two rounds of .45 ammunition, contrary to the Defence of the Realm Act.

Captain O. B. Wallis, Headquarters, Dublin Brigade, prosecuted.

The accused refused to recognise the Court, but pleaded guilty.

Captain Wallis said that not to recognise the Court, and to plead guilty, was an extraordinary position.

Sergeant Mullen, R.I.C., St. Lawrence, Howth, stated that he arrested the accused on the 18th November, and, after searching him in the police barracks, he found in his possession two rounds of .45 revolver cartridges.

The accused, in reply to the President, stated that he had nothing whatever to say.

The Court closed, and its findings will be duly promulgated.

DUBLIN CORPORATION OFFICIALS.

QUESTION OF INCREASED REMUNERATION.

An arbitration was held in the Solicitors' Buildings, Four Courts, yesterday, before Mr. McElligott, K.C., and Professor Magennis, for the purpose of determining the amount of increased remuneration to be given to officials of the Dublin Corporation owing to the abnormal conditions resulting from the war.

Mr. Arthur Clery (instructed by Mr. Ignatius Rice) appeared for the Dublin Corporation; Messrs. William M'Grath, K.C., and Vincent Rice (instructed by Mr. Charles Murray, LL.B.), represented the officials; and Mr. Dickie, K.C. (instructed by Messrs Stewart and Orr) appeared for the Dublin Citizens' Association, Mr. Howard Hely, General Secretary of the Association, being present.

Mr. Dickie, K.C., applied for an opportunity of being heard on behalf of the Association, which wished to have the whole matter with regard to salaries threshed out. They were not at all hostile to the claims of the employes of the Corporation if these claims were supported by sufficient evidence. They wished to have the opportunity of investigating the official awards with regard to civil servants and all other matters relating to increases of prices and of remuneration. They had been allowed to appear at housing inquiries, and there was no reason why they should not appear on this occasion.

Mr. McElligott said that unless the parties agreed there was no power in the arbitrators to hear anybody but the parties to the deal.

Professor Magennis stated that so far as he was concerned he would like to have the assistance of Mr. Dickie if he could be done.

Mr. McGrath opposed Mr. Dickie's application.

Mr. Dickie pointed out that when the award was made known the ratepayers from the Association would not be satisfied.

The Arbitrators having consulted, decided that having regard to the objection of Mr. McGrath the Association could not be heard.

Mr. Dickie and Mr. Hely then withdrew.

The proceedings were then conducted in private the representatives of the Press not being admitted. The number of Corporation employes whose claims are to be considered is 386. The Arbitrators appointed Mr. P. Lynch, K.C., as umpire. The award must be made within ten days.

FINANCIAL NEWS.

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DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BATU MATANG RUBBER.—Dividend of 6 per cent.

SANTA GERTRUDIS.—Interim dividend of 1/- per share, less tax.

CAMP BIRD.—The 1st preference dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum for the half-year.

KALGURLI GOLD MINES.—Dividend for the year of 3/- per share.

SOUTH BRITISH INSURANCE.—Dividend of 3/6 per share, making 5/9 per share for the year.

WESTERN CANADA INVESTMENT.—Dividend on the Ordinary Shares of 5 per cent.

ALL SEAS MARINE AND SALVAGE.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent., less tax.

GOLD MINES INVESTMENT.—Dividend of 6 per cent. (1/- per share), free of tax, for the year to October 31st.

FEDERATED (SELANGOR) RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 15 per cent. (less tax) on account of the year ending 31st March, 1920.

HALL AND COMPANY.—Six months' dividend on the 5½ per cent. Preference Shares for the half-year to the 30th September, 1919, less tax.

BRAZILIAN TRACTION, LIGHT, AND POWER.—Quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent. on Cumulative Preference Shares.

BENTLEY'S YORKSHIRE BREWERIES.—Further dividend of 2½ per cent. And a bonus of 6 per cent., making 14 per cent. for the year.

MALAYAN TIN DREDGING.—Interim dividend of 1/- per share, and final dividend of 2/-, both less tax.

SLATERS, LTD.—Dividend on the 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares for the two years to June 30th, 1917.

BRITISH STEAMSHIP INVESTMENT TRUST.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. on the Deferred Stock, with a bonus of 5 per cent., less tax.

MILLOM AND ASKAM HEMATITE IRON.—Dividend on new Ordinary Shares of 2 4-5 per cent., free of tax, for the past half-year.

MOLSON'S BANK, MONTREAL.—Dividend of 3 per cent. (being at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum) upon the capital stock for the current quarter.

WALLPAPER MANUFACTURERS.—Further dividend on the Ordinary at 8 per cent., making 16 per cent. for the year, and a dividend on the Deferred Shares for the year at 5 per cent.

NEWCASTLE BREWERIES.—Final dividends of 3 per cent. on the Preference Shares and 2/6 per share on the Ordinary Shares, both less tax, for the half-year.

WARWICKS AND RICHARDSONS.—Further dividend on Ordinary of 4 per cent., making 10 per cent., with a bonus of 6 per cent., the latter free of tax.

MAMBRAU (F.M.S.) RUBBER.—Dividend on the Preference Shares for year to June 30th, 1918, at 8 per cent., less tax; dividend on Preference Shares for year 1918-19 at 12 per cent., less tax; dividend on Ordinary Shares at 12 per cent., less tax.

HARRISONS AND CROSFIELD.—Dividends on the Cumulative Preference Shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum for three months to December 31st, and on the Preferred Ordinary Shares at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum for six months to December 31st, both less tax.

EAGLE, STAR AND BRITISH DOMINIONS INSURANCE.—In future interim dividends on the Ordinary Shares will be paid quarterly on July 1st, October 1st, January 1st, and April 1st. Further distributions of 5 per cent. (free of tax, will be made on January 2nd and April 1st, 1920, making 20 per cent., free of tax, in respect of the year 1919. Any further dividend that may be declared at the annual meeting will be paid with the July distribution.

IND COOPE AND CO.—After providing for the items detailed in the profit and loss account, there remains a balance of £48,450. The amount brought forward from last year's accounts was £105,019; thus making £123,686 less last year's dividend on the Ordinary Shares), making a total of £153,465, out of which the directors recommend to the shareholders the payment of a dividend of 15 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares, which, less tax, will absorb £49,853, and to carry forward the balance of £103,871.

INCOME TAX WORRIES.
Are you overcharged? Claims adjusted.—W. & E. Garrett, 6 Bedford st., Belfast. Estd. 20 years.—(Advt.)

RAILWAY TRAFFICS.

Last week:—Salvador, increase £1,719; Cordoba Central, increase £13,430; Argentine Transandine, increase £1,020; Buenos Ayres and Pacific, increase £55,000; Leopoldina, increase £27,350; Central Uruguay, increase £2,681; do. Eastern Extension, increase £821; do. Northern, increase £139; do. Western, increase £100; Grand Trunk of Canada, decrease £51,007.

COTTON SPINNING PROFITS.

Mr. Frederick W. Tattersall, of Manchester, has prepared his usual analysis of the reports of Lancashire cotton spinning companies for the twelve months ended 30th November, 1919. The figures show that record profits have been made (says the *Financial Times*). In a table of 25 companies which issue balance-sheets the total profit is £2,340,000, being an average profit per company of £14,786. The share capital of these concerns amounts to £945,815, and loans £569,956. The value of the mills, including machinery, is £860,489, the total number of spindles being 2,241,728. The profit on share capital works out at 35.95 per cent., against 34.34 per cent. last year. The profit on share and loan capital combined is 25.84 per cent., as compared with 21.50 per cent. in 1918. According to a table of 100 companies with a share capital of £4,723,475, the average dividend paid during the twelve months is £1.54 per cent., the amount distributed being £1,007,989. These 100 mills contain 9,182,418 spindles. During the year the directors of 56 of these companies have increased the amount paid up on shares by the payment of bonus calls out of profits. The year opened with trade in a depressed state as a result of the slump following the Armistice, but business revived early in April, and since then there has been an increasing trade in yarns, and the margin of profit has steadily widened. It is probable that the record-trading announcements at the end of December will show even more satisfactory results than those mentioned above.

"IRISH INVESTORS' GUARDIAN."

The December issue of this well-known financial periodical is replete with important up-to-date articles and reference to current topics, which at the present time of Stock Exchange activity should prove very helpful. The affairs of the City of Dublin Steampacket Company, with statistics showing the ultimate probable position for the shareholders, will attract attention. Leading articles of the reports of J. and P. Coats, A. and R. Thwaites and Co., Components Limited, Consolidated Goldfields of South Africa, and South Durham Steel and Iron Company, besides a special article contributed on Textiles and others in reference to profit-taking. The new issue of Dunlop Rubber Shares and how it will affect holders, and giving an outline of a further big bonus capitalisation, should be read by all holders. The Stock Exchange and Insurance notes are voluminous. The issue includes reports of the recent meetings of the Dunlop Rubber Co., Belgian Mazers, and British Cotton and Wool Dyers. The issue is an excellent one.

AUCTION SALES.

Messrs. Battersby and Co.

In our auction columns to-day Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce some interesting sales. On Wednesday next, December 11th, a number of attractive lots will be offered for competition, and a special feature is that a number of the houses will be sold with clear possession to purchasers. The list includes 27 North Circular road, Clonliffe terrace, close to the Phœnix Park; 7 & 9 Dalymount road, Drumcondra; 2 Hanaville Park, Terenure; 54 Raymond terrace, and 3 Grosvenor road, and 61 Brighton road, Rathgar. Each of the foregoing will be sold with vacant possession. At the same time will be offered 20 Rose street, South Circular road; 56 Palmerston road; 19 and 19a Sandwith street; 2 and 4 Erne terrace; 12 Serpentine terrace, Ballsbridge; 102, 103, and 105 Leinster road; 31 and 32 Elm Park avenue; and 25, 26, and 27 Cormarket. On the 15th inst. Messrs. Battersby will sell, at the Town Hall, Dundalk, the Bradford Estate, consisting of property in Dundalk, and the fee and in the New Year will take place on the 8th January next. Full particulars are set out in our auction columns.

Mr. W. J. Holden.

On next Wednesday Mr. Holden will offer for auction, in his saleroom, 2 Saint Andrew street, Dublin, an attractive semi-detached residence, Roseville, 74 Clonliffe road, with immediate possession; the newly-built business premises, 43 Ballybough road, possession; five 2-storey cottages, 11 to 15 Sumner row, Ballybough; five lots of cottages, on Rowbridge; 7 small cottages at rear of Fitzwilliam square; and a business premises, 44 Arnott street. The sale commences at 1 o'clock.

YESTERDAY'S SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer—29.70. Wind and Weather—W.N.W. wind, strong breeze; heavy squalls, with rain.

Coastwise Arrivals—ss. Slieve Bawn, ss. Snowdon, ss. Rathmore, from Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. Magpie, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Ard Patrick, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. City of Belfast, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Lady Enid, from Plymouth, with goods; ss. Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Banner, from Birkenhead, with railway chairs; ss. Ouvida, from London, with oil; ss. Ardeevin, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Alyn, from Garston, with coals; ss. Foulnia, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Rosefern, from Swansea, with coals.

Coastwise Departures—ss. Slieve Bawn, ss. Snowdon, ss. Rathmore, for Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. Carlow, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Dublin, for Wicklow, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Lady Tennant, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. City of Belfast, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Rosefern, for Holyhead, with live stock; ss. Brandale, for Maryport, light; ss. Rusk, ss. Eilev, ss. Gateacre Castle, for Ayr, light; ss. Dinorwic, for Garston, light; ss. St. Margaret, for Troon, light; ss. Cornelian, for Runcorn, light; ss. Tech Leven, for Lame, light; ss. Hartford, for Troon, light; ss. Medic, for Ellesmereport, light; ss. Munero, for Cardiff, with coals; ss. Stanley, for Manchester, with Barmuk.

ROYAL IRISH ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

At the weekly meeting of the Governors of the Royal Irish Academy of Music, held at Westland row, Captain T. H. Gerrard, M.I.M., presided, and the following were also present:—Major Arthur Wigwell, Mr. George Prescott, Mr. W. H. Pearce, Mr. E. Lupton, K.C., Mr. Joseph Brennan, Mr. Conlan Briscoe, T.C., and Mr. C. F. Grahame Harvey, Secretary. Minutes of Board of Studies and Finance and Routine Committees were read and signed. Letter from the Town Clerk, Dublin, was read, stating that the Municipal Council, at their meeting on 1st inst., re-appointed the following to represent the Corporation on the Board of Governors, viz.:—Alderman William O'Carthy, J.P.; Councillor D. T. Cosgrave, M.P.; Mr. William Ireland, J.P., U.D.C., and Mr. George Prescott.

On the recommendation of Mr. Hamilton Harty, on his examination of the pianoforte classes at the annual examinations in the Academy, the Governors made the following awards:—Vandeleur Academy Scholarship—Miss Hilda Shea. Vandeleur Scholarship—Miss Rhona Clarke. "Advent Prize"—Miss Annie Brereton. "Coulson Academy" Scholarships—Miss Kathleen O'Donoghue and Miss Carmice Brereton. "Coulson Exhibitions"—Master James Doyle, Miss Mary Tombe, and Miss Florence Bray.

COMPONENTS, LIMITED.

RECORD IN ORDERS IN HAND—POSITION OF THE COMPANY'S CAPITALISATION.

The seventeenth ordinary general meeting of shareholders of Components, Limited, was held at Bournbrook on Thursday, Mr. F. Warwick (Chairman) presiding. The annual report disclosed a net profit for the year of £30,022, and a disposable balance of £25,676.

In moving its adoption, the Chairman said that comparing the figures with those of the previous year there was a decrease in the net profit of £9,655. This was due to the change-over from the manufacture of munitions to the company's pre-war manufactures of motor cycles, cycles, and cycle parts, which entailed a heavy expenditure upon alterations in the works and alterations to all machinery necessary to give the output of the articles the company was now engaged upon. It would be readily understood that the change-over could not be effected without very considerable loss of output and revenue, but he was glad to say that the works were now fairly going. One of the great difficulties that had to be met was an inadequate supply of material, but the situation in this respect was gradually improving. Although the company had a large turnover when engaged on munitions, entailing full day and night shifts, the contracts and orders now on hand would give a larger turnover than they had ever had before, if only it were possible to turn the goods out. This would be no easy matter, in view of the much shorter working hours imposed by the trade unions. The reduction of hours would not matter if the same quantities were produced as promised, but experience up to the present showed that to work as slowly as possible was the aim of many. Turning to the asset side of the balance-sheet, the Chairman said that both freehold buildings and plant and machinery showed an increase over last year. After writing off depreciation as to building and plant it was evident that present values were very much in excess of the amounts set out in the balance-sheet. Sundry debtors were £31,666 lower than last year, and the first debenture redemption account was £2,200 lower, owing to the extinction of a certain number of these bonds. Investments were slightly down, owing to an investment having been sold at a good profit. Stock-in-trade showed an increase of £47,843, and on the bank balance there was a reduction of £51,089, due to the heavy payments made during the last financial year for munitions levy and excess profits. These amounted to £76,044, and it was interesting to note that the company had paid nearly £130,100 in taxation during the last few years. The dividends recommended, 7½ per cent., less tax, on the Ordinary and Deferred Ordinary Shares and 9½ per cent. on the 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares, were slightly less than those of the previous year, but the directors felt that to get up to the output necessary to complete the contracts and orders already placed with the company it was essential that the financial position should be closely conserved. They were called upon for a larger output than the company had ever obtained.

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

This naturally meant heavier stocks and greater debtors, for which increased capital was necessary, and that capital must be found, either by a share issue, which the directors were wishful to avoid, or by retaining a goodly portion of the profits. It seemed the fashion at the moment to make huge capital issues, and no doubt these were necessary in most cases, but, nevertheless, there was a good deal of over-capitalisation going on. For the time being the directors preferred to wait, but they had taken the precaution of acquiring about 10 acres of very suitable land in the neighbourhood of the present works so as to have space for future developments if it was decided to increase the undertaking. This land for the moment was being paid for out of current resources, and in the opinion of the directors was a good and safe investment. During the war considerable building extensions were made and plant and machinery largely increased, although the values of these stood in the balance-sheet at less than they did in 1915. This was due to the large depreciations written off on the past few years. While the company's productive capacity was now much greater than it was in 1915, inability to obtain supplies of castings consequent upon the foundry strike had militated against output in the last few months, but he trusted that an end might soon be seen of this and other hindrances to trade. The co-operation of workmen and employers was badly needed to re-establish the country's finances. Reference was made at the last meeting to a decision to manufacture a two-horse-power car, but the idea had been temporarily abandoned, because, at the beginning of the year, orders for motor cycles and cycles were placed in such large quantities, and still continued to come in, that it would take the whole production of the works, big as they were, to execute them.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Frank Moore, and unanimously agreed to.

Subsequently the shareholders passed a resolution increasing the remuneration of each director by £100 per annum, free of income tax up to 6s., as from September, 1918.

Formal alterations of the articles of association were agreed to to bring them up to date.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, DECEMBER 3RD, 1919.

REGULAR FORCES.—Infantry—Ryl. Inniskilling Fus.—Lt. J. P. McNamara (dec.) retires on retired pay. Leinster Regt.—Lt. R. H. Drummond retires on retired pay on account of ill-health caused by wounds.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.—Infantry—Dublin Univ.—Cavalry—North Irish Horse—Lt. W. M. Hunter is restored to the establishment. Infantry—The undermentioned Lts. to be Lt.—5th Ryl. Dublin Fus.—R. F. G. Dickson.

REGULAR FORCES.—Infantry—Service Battalions—Leinster Regt.—The undermentioned temporary 2nd Lts. to be temporary Lts.—R. E. Cooper, with precedence next above J. F. Fitzsimons; A. F. Fletcher, with precedence next below J. F. Fitzsimons. Temporary 2nd Lt. R. O'N. Butler is seconded on appointment as probationer to Indian Army; temporary Lt. R. O'N. Butler to be temporary Lt.; temporary 2nd Lt. J. C. Kinsella resigns his commission on completion of war service and retains the rank of 2nd Lt.

REGULAR FORCES.—The commissions of the undermentioned 2nd Lts. are antedated for purposes of seniority as stated against their names:—Ryl. Irish Fus.—(now Lt.) M. J. Cowey, 5th August, 1916; Connaught Rangers—(now Lt.) W. H. Odbert, M.C.

THOMPSON'S MILITARY TAILORS, 8 Westmoreland street, Dublin. (Estabd. 1846.)

MILITARY OUTFITS. Conway and Swan, 79 Dame street.

MILITARY BOOT AND LEGGING MAKER, L. J. Watkins, 77 Dame street.

LLOYD'S MA

PROSPECTUS.

The LIST OF APPLICATIONS for Purchase will CLOSE on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of December, 1919.

Applications will be received by, and Forms of Application can be obtained at, the Company's Bankers or any of their branches, or any of the undermentioned Brokers.

The special permission of the Committee of the Stock Exchange to deal in the shares is being applied for.

TRUST HOUSES, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1908, as a Company limited by Shares.)

AUTHORISED CAPITAL - £1,000,000

Divided into

900,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each and 20 Deferred Shares of 1s. each.

Of which 499,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each and 20 Deferred Shares of 1s. have been issued, and the balance of 500,000 Ordinary Shares are now offered for sale.

The Deferred Shares carry 50 per cent. of the Voting Power of the Company, and are allotted exclusively to the Trustees for the Council herein mentioned. Such Deferred Shares entitle the Trustees to all the profits of the Company, after payment of a Dividend not exceeding 7 per cent. free of income-tax, on the Ordinary Shares, and after provision has been made for a reserve fund and other matters and contingencies in connection with the Company's business, to be applied in such manner as the Council shall direct towards objects of public utility.

In the event of the winding-up of the Company, the surplus assets, after the return to the members of the amount of their paid-up Capital, will be paid to the Deferred Shareholders, to be applied in the same manner as the surplus profits referred to above.

COUNCIL.

For the distribution of surplus profits and the maintenance of the fundamental objects of the Trust.

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The Directors have power to add to the number of the Council.

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OFFER FOR SALE OF 500,000 ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH.

(ranking pari passu with the existing Ordinary Shares),

At the price of 22s. per share, payable as follows:

2s. per Share on Application.
5s. " " on Acceptance.
5s. per Share on February 1st, 1920.
5s. " " on April 1st, 1920.
5s. per Share on July 1st, 1920.

The maximum dividend payable on the Ordinary Shares is at the rate of 7 per cent. free of income tax (equivalent to £9 1s. 9d. per cent. before deduction of income tax at the rate of 5s. in the £ on the price at which the shares are offered).

Shareholders liable to Income Tax at less than the maximum rate (which is now 6s. in the £) are entitled to apply through the Local Surveyor of Taxes for a refund of the difference between the rate for which they are liable to tax and the maximum rate at which tax is deducted.

In case of a winding-up during the first three years, the interests of the new vendors may be voted against by the members of the Company present in person or by proxy at an extraordinary general meeting. No Debentures or Preference Shares have been issued.

BROKERS TO THE OFFER:

SIDNEY J. LOVELL AND CO., Pinner's Hall, Austin Friars, London, E.C.2, and Stock Exchange, London.
ILLINGWORTH AND ROBINSON, 19 Mosley street, Manchester.
CRICHTON BROS. AND TOWNLEY, 8 Fenwick street, Liverpool.
BOXBURGHS AND CO., 95 Buchanan street, Glasgow.
GRIFFITHS AND HALL, 80 King Edward's Road, Birmingham.

Solicitors to the Offer—DURRANT, COOPER AND HAMBLING, Bank Chambers, 70 and 71 Gracechurch street, London, E.C.

Barclays Bank, Ltd., Head Office, 54 Lombard street, E.C.3, and branches throughout the country, will receive applications for purchase of the above 500,000 Ordinary Shares on behalf of and as Bankers for the London Investment Syndicate (1912), Ltd., 100 Finsbury Pavement House, London, E.C.2, who have actioned the same.

" People throughout the Country can hardly devote themselves to a worse use tha cause than to promote, both by voice and by action, the spread of the Public House Trust."—"The Times" Leading Article.

Full particulars of the Company's policy, financial position, and development are given in the following letter written by Mr. A. F. Part, Managing Director of the TRUST HOUSES, to the Board:—

227 Strand, London, W.C.2.
5th November, 1919.

To the LONDON INVESTMENT SYNDICATE (1912), LTD.,
100 Finsbury Pavement House, London, E.C.2.

Gentlemen,—The business carried on by Trust Houses, Limited, is the largest of its kind in the world. The Company exists, as is now generally known, to acquire licensed houses and hotels of all kinds, and to develop and manage them on lines of real up-to-date progressive enterprise. Such houses have recently been acquired in many of the leading Towns in the Midlands and elsewhere, with the result that travellers in large and increasing numbers make it a habit of patronising the Company's houses wherever they are. The goodwill of every additional house taken over is augmented by the accession of the goodwill of the Company's business as a whole. A Canteen discount system introduced by the Company has been a great attraction, and has proved successful, and is used by thousands of people.

The Company, while it acquires licensed houses by purchase or on lease and converts them into refreshment houses, according to the need of the neighbourhood.

These houses, which are frequently and thoroughly inspected, are placed under carefully selected managers, who are paid a fixed salary with a commission on the sale of all articles except alcoholic liquors, so that it is to their direct interest to encourage the sale of non-alcoholic and food lines.

Music, and all lawful games and entertainments, both indoor and outdoor, are encouraged by the Company.

The Company, which is of very large employer, makes a point of employing British labour, and, wherever possible, men who have served in the War.

ADVANTAGES AND DESIRABILITY.—Teases placed under Trust control are unalienated for ever.

The excellence of its managers and the care which it takes in the conduct of the business is proved by the fact that although the Company has served some 80 million Customers, not a single conviction in respect of drunkenness has ever been recorded against it—an unequalled record.

The expenses of the Company have decreased from 18 per cent. in 1903 to 40 per cent. at the present time. The relative increase is much larger than even these figures indicate if the increased prices of intoxicants are taken into account.

The business of the Company is independent of fashion. Food, drink, and lighting accommodation are, and must always remain, prime necessities.

The Company has increased accommodation where necessary, while increased wages and shorter hours have led to increasing business in licensed houses in particular, and in non-alcoholic refreshment. Moreover, the revival of motoring, the development of road transport, and the resumption of normal travelling facilities may be expected in the next few years to intensify the already acute shortage of hotel accommodation throughout the country.

The clientele of a Trust House is wider than that of an ordinary licensed house because, like cafés abroad, it is patronised by whole families.

The Company is successfully managing houses of all kinds, in every class of neighbourhood. The great success, from both a national and a financial standpoint, which has marked its operations has proved that the Company is supplying a long-felt public need in all parts of the country, and there is a great demand for extension.

The map accompanying the prospectus shows at a glance the area and extent of the Company's operations.

OBJECTS OF THE ISSUE.

The proceeds of the shares offered for sale will be used for the acquisition of additional Hotels and Inns and for supplying working capital therefor.

PROFITS AND TURNOVER.

The Company's Accounts, as audited by Messrs. Price, Waterhouse and Co., show the following trading results year by year for the past seven years:—

Financial Year ending March 31st.	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919.
Paid-up Capital at commencement of year	£92,585	£59,900	£91,000	£125,250	£149,900	£175,006	£210,110
Net Profit	£4,646	£6,500	£9,134	£15,116	£13,862	£16,734	£42,367*
Profit to Capital paid up at commencement of year	14.25 p.c.	10.85 p.c.	10.03 p.c.	12.06 p.c.	9.24 p.c.	9.56 p.c.	20 p.c.*
Dividend paid	5 p.c.	5 p.c.	6 p.c.	6 p.c.	6 p.c.	7 p.c.	7 p.c.

* Before deducting Excess Profits Duty, and all other charges for Income-Tax—except that the net profits for the year 1918-19 is shown before deducting Excess Profits Duty, the amount payable being not ascertained beyond 1915-19, owing to retrospective adjustments on capital issues, the employment of capital in the form of loans was necessitated as the Company's paid-up capital was fully employed. The income on this capital has not been deducted from the profits shown above for these years.

The maximum dividend payable on the Ordinary Shares was increased in July last from 7 p.c. to 7 p.c. free of Income Tax, and an interim dividend for the half-year at the same higher rate was paid in October, 1919.

Note—The net profits shown above are after making ample allowance for depreciation, repairs, renewals, redemption of leaseholds, Directors' Fees, Excess Profits Duty, and all other charges for Income-Tax—except that the net profits for the year 1918-19 is shown before deducting Excess Profits Duty, the amount payable being not ascertained beyond 1915-19, owing to retrospective adjustments on capital issues, the employment of capital in the form of loans was necessitated as the Company's paid-up capital was fully employed. The income on this capital has not been deducted from the profits shown above for these years.

While, as shown above, the paid-up capital has been increased roughly six and-a-half times during the seven years ended 31st March, 1919, the annual turnover has during the same period increased more than ten times—viz., from £700,000 to £7,445,000.

During this period the ratio between the Company's nett profits (as shown above) and the turnover has averaged 5.84 per cent. Since 31st March, 1919, the turnover has been at the rate of approximately £1,500,000 per year.

While new capital of £350,000 issued last March is already fully employed the profits resulting therefrom cannot yet be brought into calculation, and it has not been possible to obtain a certified account showing the profit since that date.

From 31st March, 1915, to 31st March, 1919, the total reserve and carry forward has been increased from £5,550 to £51,461 (subject to an as yet undetermined reduction in respect of Excess Profits Duty for the year 1918-19).

The Board has decided that the General Reserve Account shall be increased to £100,000 before distributing any surplus profits to the Council. This General Reserve will be available for meeting any unforeseen circumstances or emergencies which may arise, and for the equalisation of dividends on the Ordinary Shares.

CAPITAL INVESTMENTS.

It has not been found possible to prepare a balance-sheet at a date later than 31st March, 1919, but the following particulars are given as indicating the general character of the properties in which the Company's capital is invested:—

Freehold Land and Houses at cost (including expenditure during year of acquisition)	£410,760	0 0
Leasehold Houses at cost (including expenditure during year of acquisition)	£14,861	0 0
Freehold Property in Short's Gardens (now in the occupation at the year end of Offices and Leasehold Property purchased for use as Central Stores, Offices and Hotel, at cost)	97,000	0 0
	£522,621	0 0
Less Mortgages thereon	£61,943	0 0
	£360,408	0 0
Equipment and fittings of Houses at cost, less depreciation	£75,380	0 0
Stock of Foods, Wines and Spirits (Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes at cost, and sundry stocks)	£77,000	0 0
	£513,789	0 0

The Company has now acquired one hundred and fifty-seven hotels and inns of which no less than seventy-seven are the Company's freeholds, whilst most of the remainder are held on long leases on favourable terms.

CONSTITUTION.—The business of the Company is administered by a board of Directors.

The Council, which controls the continuity of the Company's policy, consists partly of members chosen by the Directors and partly of members holding their positions under Trust deeds during their tenure of public offices. The names of the members of the Council appear on the front page of the Prospectus, and others will be elected from time to time by the Directors.

The Directors have full powers, including power to guarantee the fulfilment of the special policy and objects of the Company, are held for the Council by Trustees. A Deed regulating the constitution of the Council and declaring the Trusts of the Deferred Shares has been executed by the Company and the Trustees, under which a perpetual Trust is founded and the Deferred Shares are settled in accordance with the terms thereof.

After provision has been made for a dividend not exceeding seven per cent. free of income-tax on the Ordinary Shares and for setting aside an adequate part of the profits as a reserve, the surplus profits will be handed to the Council to be administered by them for such public purposes as in their opinion will contribute to the public benefit in accordance with the terms of the Deed referred to above.

Yours faithfully, ALEXANDER F. PART,
Managing Director, Trust Houses, Ltd.

The price received by Trust Houses, Ltd., for the Shares now offered by the London Investment Syndicate (1912), Ltd., is £1 per share less a commission of nine and one-eleventh per cent., out of which commission the London Investment Syndicate (1912), Ltd., have agreed to pay all the expenses in connection with this offer for sale, including commission in respect of the underwriting of the whole of this offer, and all expenses of printing, advertising, circularising, stamps and other legal expenses attendant on the offer. These expenses will absorb approximately seven per cent. of the nine and one-eleventh per cent. commission referred to above.

The London Investment Syndicate (1912), Ltd., has entered into with Trust Houses, Ltd., whereby that Company undertakes to allot all shares applied for and accepted direct to the applicant; that on payment of the amount due on acceptance the name of the applicant will be entered in the Company's Register of Members, and Share certificates for fully-paid shares will be delivered in due course by the Company in exchange for Letters of Acceptance and Bankers' receipts for the amounts payable on acceptance in respect of the shares referred to therein.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and the Trust Deed of the Company may be inspected by intending applicants at the Registered Office of the Company on any day while the lists remain open between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Applications for purchase should be made on the accompanying form, and sent with a deposit of 2s. per share to Barclays Bank, Limited, 54 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, or any of their Branches. If no allotment is made, the application will be rejected in full. If allotment is made in respect of a smaller number of shares than applied for, the balance of the application money will be devoted towards payments of the amount due on allotment. Failure to pay any instalment will render the amount previously paid liable to forfeiture and the contract for sale to cancellation.

Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum will be charged on payments in arrear.

Shares may be paid for in full on application if desired, in which case interest at the rate of 5 per cent. will be allowed on payments to made.

The dividends on the shares now offered will be calculated on the amounts for the time being called up, the sum of 2s. per share payable on application not being included for this purpose.

A brokerage of 2d. per share will be paid on acceptances in respect of applications bearing the stamp of Brokers, Banks, or other approved agents.

Particulars of this Offer for Sale and Forms of Application to purchase may be obtained from Barclays Bank, Ltd., 54 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, or any of their Branches throughout the country, or from Trust Houses, Ltd., 227 Strand, London, W.C.2, or any of the Brokers to the Offer. (Quantities of 20 or more should be applied for by telegram to the Instant Agency, Limited, 16 Finsbury pavement, London, E.C.2.)

Dated 28th November, 1919.

This Form may be filled up and forwarded to BARCLAYS BANK, LIMITED, 54 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, or any of their Branches, together with a remittance for the amount payable on application.

No.

TRUST HOUSES, LIMITED.

Offer for Sale of 500,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each at 22s. per Share.

(71.)

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR PURCHASE OF SHARES.

To THE LONDON INVESTMENT SYNDICATE (1912), LIMITED,
100 Finsbury Pavement House, London, E.C.2.

Gentlemen,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £ being a Deposit of 2s. per Share on Ordinary Shares of £1 each of the above Company, I/we offer to purchase at 22s. per Share that number or any smaller number of Shares in respect of which you may accept this offer, upon the terms of the Offer for Sale dated the 28th November, 1919, subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the said Company, and to pay the balance due from me/us on acceptance by you as specified in the said Offer for Sale. I/We authorise you to procure me/us to be entered on the Register of the Company as the holder of such Shares. I/We hereby declare that this application is not made by or for the benefit of an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1916.

Dated this 1919.

Usual Signature

Name in full (Block Letters)

(State if Mr., Mrs., or Miss)

Address in full

Occupation

Please write distinctly.

Cheques should be drawn payable to Bearer and crossed "Barclays Bank, Limited."

Any Alteration from "Order" to "Bearer" must be authenticated by the Drawer's signature.

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

WEEK-END QUIET MARKET, TENDENCY MOSTLY FAVOURABLE, BUT WAR LOANS LOWER.

Quietness was the main characteristic of the week-end market on 'Change yesterday, but with few exceptions pieces closed at a recovery, in spite of a continuance of selling to secure profits. Consols recovered ½, but War Loan 5 p.c. and Funding Loan fell to record low point levels. Banks were generally firm, on the satisfactory news of a settlement of the recent crisis, after a one-day conference, thus justifying anticipations of all well-wishers. Breweries, etc., were firm. Steam Stocks remain on offer. Marconi Ord. Shares were quoted ex-rights at 85s., a rise of approximately 2s. 6d. on the day compared with the last price of the old shares and the issue price of the new shares. "Wick-low" Railway Stock was again depressed, and further fell sharply. Dunlop issues were firm. The decision to issue "Rights" to all shareholders in connection with the new issue notified yesterday morning is in keeping with our remarks on the subject when the notification of no renunciation rights was previously made. Coats and Cottons were features of strength in the Textile group; Oils active.

The Funds were busy, and generally lower. Consols rose ½ to 50½, War Loan 5 p.c. fell ⅛ to 90⅛, Funding Loan 1½ to 74, Irish Land 2½ p.c. ½ to 51½, and do. 3 p.c. ⅛ to 54, India 3½ p.c. was firm at 61. Dublin Corporation Stock closed sellers at 71½ x.d. the last price.

In Banks, Bank of Ireland repeated 210, and Provincials rose ½ to 25.

There was no change in Breweries or Distilleries; and Steam and Canal securities were neglected.

Among Marconis, the Ord. were practically ¼ better at 4½ ex rights. Americans fell 1s. 9d. to 30s.

Home Rails were mostly weaker, Dublin and South-Eastern fell yet another 1½ to 19, and the Pref. were still a weak market. Great Northern fell ½ to 80, and the Debs. ½ to 75. Midland Great Western 4½ p.c. Debs. rallied 2½ to 72½.

Trams, Gas, and Bakery shares were quite featureless.

In Dunlops, Parent Tyre Pref. and Defd. were firm at last price. Dunlop Rubber rose ⅛ to 10½, ⅛, and the 6½ p.c. Pref. repeated 20s.

Drapery shares were steady. Henry Streets repeated 23s. 9d., Pim Bros. Pref. 4½, and Walpole Bros. Pref. 80s. 6d. x.d.

Manufacturing shares were quiet outside Coats and Cottons, which closed ⅛ and 1s. 6d. higher respectively. Dyers, Calicos, and Spinners were very firm at the close. Lever Bros. Pref. 4½ fell 1½d. to 20s. 3d. Bleachers closed about 7½d. lower at 37s. 6d., 38s. nominally.

Trading and Miscellaneous issues were practically neglected, and where dealt in show no change.

Mexican Eagle Oil opened ¼ better at 14½, and closed after a big business at 13½. Scottish Americans (12s. 6d. paid) finally closed unchanged at 21s. 6d., after being 21s. Shells rose ⅛ to 10⅛.

BANK OF IRELAND.

Discount ..... 5 per cent., 6th November, 1919.
Deposit ..... 3 per cent., 6th November, 1919.

BUSINESS DONE.

Consols (2½) 50½ | Parent Def....(55/-) 65/-
5% War Ln...(90½) 90⅛ | Pref. Ord.....(9) 14/9
Funding Loan...(73½) 74 | Dunlop.....(10⅛) 10⅛
War Bonds (1928)....97 | Do. 6½ Pref. Stock 20/-
Do. (2nd Series)....97 | Henry Streets..(23/6) 23/6
2½% Land Ack.(51) 51½ | Pim Pref.....(93/9) 93/9
3% Land Act...(54½) 54½ | Walpole Pref.....(80/-) 80/-
India 3½%.....(61) 61 | Brad. Dy..(54/9) 54/9 x.d.
Bank Ireland....(210) 210 | Blenchers.....
Provincial Bk....(24½) 25 | (58/7½) 57/6b 58/6a
Dub. Dist. Pref.(53) 54 | Calicos.....(28/6) 28/6
Dunville.....(11) 11 | Cantrell.....(7/6) 8
Clandeboye.....(6) 6 | Gresham.....(96/6) 97/-
Marconi..(107/6) 85/- x.r. | Lever "B" Pref.
Do. America.....50/- | .....(20/4½) 20/3
Do.S.R. Bail.....(20) 20 | M'Kenzie (Trim) (7½) 7½
G.N. Ord.....(60½) 30 | Oil Market. (82/6) 82/6
Do. Pref.....(66) 66 | Mex. Eagle Ord.(13½)
Do. Deb.....(75) 75 | 13½ 13½ 13½
M.G.W. 4½ Deb. | Shells .....(10⅛) 10⅛
.....(70) *72½ | Scottish-American Oil
*Odd lot. | 21/6

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

LOWER STOCK MARKETS.

WAR LOAN FIVES AND FOURS LOWER, BUT THE NEWER LOANS HOLD.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

World-wide uncertainty and unsettlement in politics and finance, from the United States to Germany and beyond, finds ample scope for expression in Stock Markets, and the feeling of discomfort was accentuated yesterday by deplorable weather. Continental liquidation still weighed upon international securities, exchange movements were not helpful, realisations of War Loan continued on such a scale that Government purchases had little effect; while in the more speculative markets the mainspring of interest has been largely removed by the announcements of the bonuses for Mexican Eagles, Marconis, Courtaulds, and Dunlops. Here and there good features were discernable, but buying was never brisk, and a feeling of dullness in several Industrial Shares was attributed to fears in regard to the revision of taxes on income and profits, although in point of fact the mobilisation of cash to meet calls on new capital issues should suffice as a practical explanation of drooping markets. There were fewer declines than on the preceding day, and apart from the 4 and 5 p.c. War Loans, Government securities found an uneasy rest. Variations in Home Railways were unimportant, and a descent in Trunks has become a regular feature. Argentine Rails oscillated about the previous levels; while Brazilian Rails drooped with the Rio exchange. In the Foreign market Japanese issues stiffened, but Peruvians were upset by the decrease in the Preferred dividend.

LONDON STOCKS HEAVY.

SELLING FROM THE CONTINENT.

The Stock Exchange remained heavy in tone in many directions. Parts in which cautious sellers are specialities. This checked any tendency to cheerfulness on local account, and accentuated the restrictive influence of the usual week-end factors. Liquidation on local and provincial account, however, was not important. Gilt-edgeds continued to droop. The Victory Loan closed around 80½, and the Funding Loan 74½. Miscellaneous gilt-edged securities recorded no material change, but their tone was dullish in connection with descriptions in this department. Indian Loans were quieter at previous levels. Bank of England Stock held around 195. The Colonial Bet was spottily brisk. New South Wales 5½ p.c. around 99 and Australian Commonwealth 5½ p.c. around 98 meeting chief attention.

Changes.—Falls—Consols, ½ to 50⅛; 4½ p.c. War Loan, ½ to 84½; 5 p.c. do., ½ to 90.

PERUVIANS FALL.—In the foreign market Peruvians were the word feature on the poor annual results. The Pref. was mainly affected owing to the dividend cut, and the price was forced down to 29 at one time. On balance there was a loss of 2 at 32. The Ord. fell ½ to 7½, and the Debs. gave way a point to 88. As regards other South Americans, the first Funding Fives flattened 2 to 69, and there were some other losses of ½ to 1 among Argentine and Brazilian Loans. Chinese quotations were 1 to 1½ down where they moved. French loans were no better. Rio Tintos flattened ½ to 66. Russians were dull and heavy, with some further falls of 1 to 2 points among Argentine issues.

Changes.—Falls—Argentine Fives (1886), ½ to 68½; Brazil Fours, 1 to 51 do. Funding (1914), 2 to 69; Chinese 4½ p.c., 1 to 69; do. 5 p.c. (1912), 1½ to 73; Egyptian United, 2 to 75; French Loan, ½ to 60; Peruvian Corp., ½ to 7½; do. Pref., 2 to 32½; do. Debs., 1 to 86. Rise—Japan Fours, ½ to 75.

RAILWAY LOWER.—Home Rails were on the dull side, business being at a very low ebb. Trunk and trade stocks, however, were fairly steady, the impending advance in freight charges assisting the undertone, while there was very little business to depress. Great Western was picked up ½ to 85. North-Western and Midland issues did not vary.

Canadian Pacifics were rather over 175. There were several further declines of ½ to 1 among Grand Trunks, the traffic showing a decrease of £53,007 for the concluding period of November, during which, however, there was one working day less this year than last. Mexican Rails enjoyed a better undertone, and Argentine Rails were inclined to harden, though, owing to the prevailing instability of markets, prices did not make much headway. Buenos Ayres Great Southerns hardened to 60. Antofagasta Def. fell 2 to 123.

Changes.—Rise—Great Western, ½ to 85; Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Perp. Deb., 3 to 60; Buenos Ayres Great Southern, ½ to 60. Falls—Chathams ½ to 32; Great Central Def., ½ to 7½; South Eastern Def., ½ to 73½; Chesapeake, 1 to 71; Denver, 1 to 9; do. Pref., 1 to 18; Missouri, ½ to 13½; Ontario, 1½ to 23½; Southern Common, 1 to 30; Grand Trunk, ½ to 8½; do. Guar., 1 to 55; do. 1st Pref., ½ to 50; do. 3rd Pref., ½ to 19½; do. 5½ p.c. 2nd Year Notes, 1 to 98½; Antofagasta Def., 3 to 123; Arnavir Touajes Bonds, 1 to 35½; San Paulo, 1 to 182½.

INDUSTRIALS END THE WEEK IN RATHER DREARY FASHION.

MARCONIS BETTER—SHARP TUMBLE IN INDIA COOPES.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

The Miscellaneous and Industrial market finished the week rather drearily yesterday. Conditions in this department accordingly closed with those in evidence practically throughout the "House." There was no large volume of selling to digest, but week-end narrowness, which was accentuated by renewed offerings in some directions from Paris and by a certain sense of unsettlement engendered by the Allies' fresh curt Note to Germany, prevented prices from offering very effective resistance to pressure where it occurred. Marconi descriptions, after allowing for the deduction of the "rights" relative to the new issue, were a better market. The Textile group was irregular on evening-up operations, in which both local operators and the provinces participated. Coats, however, were a good spot, reflecting the company's reasoned denial of "profiteering" on goods sold in this country. In the Brewery section, Ind Coopes had a sharp tumble on the dividend, which was well below expectations, and the rest of the group was heavy. Tobacco and Land Shares tended against holders, while Shipping and Insurance issues were again quietly weaker. Iron and Steel Shares reflected disappointment at the failure of the latest efforts to achieve a settlement of the moulders' strike. Chemical Shares were firm.

Among Textiles, Courtaulds were distinctly quieter, and left off ⅛ down at 11¼. Sewing Cottons and Fine Cottons Spinning kept closely around overnight levels. Coats were ¼ better on balance at 8⅜. Harrods (Buenos Ayres) Def. weakened ½ to 8⅜. Bovril Def. eased 3d. to 10s. 6d., and Maypole Def. at ¼ was ⅛ weaker on reaising. Cements were rather on offer. Associated Ord. shed 9d. at 24s. 6d., and the Pref. at 15s. was 3d. down. British Portland at 31s. 6d. shed 6d. Borax Consolidated Pref. dropped ¼ to 8⅜. Brunner Mond rallied 6d. to 42s. 6d., and Castner Kellners at 2⅜ were a better. There was inside buying of Magadi Sodas, which the market regarded as significant, the Ord. hardening to 19s., and the Def. to 2s. 3d. Henry Bucknalls went ahead ⅛ to 1⅞. Dunlops remained around 10⅛; Motors were dullish. Leylands at 18s. 9d. lost 1s. British Motor Trading eased to 21s. British Motor Spirit yielded ¼ of their overnight rebound at 2⅛. There was scattered realising among Meat Shares. British and Argentine at 25s. 9d. lost 1s. 3d., and Nelson Bros. at 2⅛ were also ⅛ lower. Pyrotans fell back with other things, shedding ⅛ at 1⅛. In the Tobacco group, British - American dropped ⅛ to 6⅞, and Imperials at 61s. were 1s. 6d. down. Amalgamated Press Ord. came into renewed request on bonus talk, and gained ⅛ at 6⅞. Associated Newspapers eased 6d. to 20s. The higher priced Land Shares did not move much. Pekin Syndicates fell 1s. to 36s., the company intimating that the forthcoming meeting would have to be adjourned owing to the non-receipt of full accounts from China, where the Chairman is still absent. Nigers at 7⅞. 6d. shed 6d., and Rio de Janeiro at 1⅜, lower 3d., lower. Hudson's Bay Pref. at 4¼ were ⅛ down, and Duffs yielded 6d. at 19s. 3d. There were several falls of 3d. to 6d. among Iron and Steel securities, Marconis were not very active, but the Ord., allowing for the deduction of the rights, were ¼ better at 4¼, and the Pref. added ⅛ to 3⅛ x.r. The American shares eased 5d. to 30s. Bank shares were quiet and colourless. In the Brewery section, Ind Coopes flattened ½ to 14s on the 15 p.c. dividend, which did not meet the best expectations. There is not a great number of movements among Insurance issues, but falls of ½ to ½ predominated. Several Canadian-American securities registered moderate gains. Canada Steel at 96 was 5 better, while Canadian Car and Canada Shares rose 2 and 1 respectively. Brazilian Tractions reacted 1¼ to 61¼.

EASIER TENDENCY IN MINES.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Rather dull conditions prevailed in the Stock Exchange yesterday, and business in markets practically all round had a week-end appearance. Even the Mining departments were much less animated than earlier in the week, and, in view of the general disinclination of dealers to go home with uneven books and the slackening of public demand, prices were inclined to droop. The dismal weather did not help matters; but there was very little real selling of Kaffirs, and those who bought on the expectation of a substantial premium being maintained on gold fields for coming to come are apparently quite content to give the market a run. Profit-taking by professionals, however, had a rather depressing influence upon quotations, and the majority of movements on the day were in the downward direction. A few of the low-priced descriptions resisted the general tendency, and the Far Easterns were mostly steady, but Rand Mines, East Rand, Randfontein, Gold Fields, Meyer and Charlton, Crown Mines, and one or two others were appreciably lower. The Simmer and Jack report was considered satisfactory, and the shares remained firm at the previous level. In the Rhodesian department, "Tank" Shares and Debs. were better, but Chartered became dullish once more. De Beers, among Diamonds, were lower, and Roberts Victor lost the firm tone which has of late been imparted into Tin descriptions, despite the rise in the metal and the probability of further advances, and it needed but a little offering to put prices lower here and there. The extent of the business may be gathered from the fact that only about half a dozen changes were recorded, all of them for the worse. Sawhoe were better among West Africans. There was a renewal of the inquiry for some of the Barriers, British being well to the fore; but Westralians were dull. Rio Tintos, in the Spanish section, were rather heavily depressed, and the only change in Russians was a drop in Russo-Asiatic. Dealings in Miscellaneous descriptions were almost at a standstill, and no movements of importance took place.

LESS BUSINESS IN OILS.

PRICES MOSTLY EASIER.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Business in Oil Shares was yesterday quieter than for some time past, no special features of interest being presented throughout the day, and, although the leaders made a show of firmness at the start, the absence of sustained demand led to a gradual shrinkage in quotations. The losses finally shown in Shells and Eagles were very moderate, and Burmahs were finally unchanged. We understand that Mexican Eagles will be quoted ex. rights on December 10. With few exceptions other favourites were easier in sympathy with the leaders. Anglo-American continued to meet with buyers, and further advanced, and Asiatic and Venezuelan Oil Concessions recovered. A rather harder tendency developed in Trinidad issues, Trinidad Leaseholds moving up, and there being a moderate demand for Trinidad Cords. "Eights," a dull tone was noticeable in Anglo-Egyptian B, Lobitos, and Kern Rivers. Russian descriptions remained heavy. Firmness was maintained by Uros Oilfields, which further advanced; but Oilfields Finance failed to hold the overnight's improvement. Closing prices:—

Anglo-American	£	£
Anglo-Bulgarian	9/0	10/0
Anglo-Egyptian B	4½	4¾
Anglo-Maikop	7/0	8/0
Anglo-Persian Pref.	24/0	25/0
Asiatic	2½	2¾
Baku Consolidated "A"	2/10½	
Black Sea Amalgamated	3/9	4/3
British Burmah	1¾	1⅞
Burmah	17⅞	17⅞
Caspian Oilfields	5/0	6/0
Chiloles Oil	20/0	21/0
Cyprus Oil Trust	4/5	5/3
Egyptian Transport Pref.	1¾	2
English Oilfields	3½	3¾
European Oilfields	4½	4⅝
Kaiser Oil	3/6	3/9
Kern River	34/0	35/0
Lobitos	4/6	4/9
Mahalla Petroleum Trust	9/6	10/0
Mexican Eagle Ord.	13½	13⅝
Mexican Eagle Pref.	13⅛	13⅛
New Gloucester	9/0	9/6
National Petroleum	11/6	12/6
New Sabloil	7/0	8/0
North Caucasian	26/0	27/0
Oilfields Finance	7/6	8/6
Orosi Oil	5/6	5/9
Premier Pipe	8/9	9/3
Ratocaze (Galicia) Pref.	29	31
Rumanian Consol.	20/3	23/3
Shell Transport	10⅛	10⅛
Do. Pref.	9⅞	9⅞
Spies	11/9	12/3
Sumatra Oil	7/6	8/6
Tampico	8/6	9/6
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

...STRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
...Notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal
...Certificate of the Wanderers Rugby Football
...Lansdowne road.
F. H. DUGGAN,
Hon. Sec.
...STRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
...Notice that I will apply for the Renewal of the
...Certificate of Registration of the COUNTY CAVAN
...Union, pursuant to the provisions of the above
CHAS. A. JACKSON,
Hon. Secretary, County Cavan Club.
...STRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
...Notice that the KENILWORTH BOWLING
...Grosvenor square, Rathmines, is applying for a
...of the Certificate of Registration of said Club.
E. K. JONES,
Hon. Secretary.
December, 1919.
...STRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
...Notice that an application will be made to the
...Rathmines Urban District Council at their Meeting
...for the Renewal of the Certificate of Re-
...of the CASTLE CLUB, Limited,
...the 4th day of December, 1919.
SAMUEL JOHN WEST,
Secretary.
...STRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
...hereby given Notice that I intend to apply at the
...Court to be held at Athy on the 9th day of
...for the Renewal of a Certificate of Registration of the
...known as the CLUB OF THE GREAT WAR,
...Branch, situated at 58 Duke street, Athy, in the
...Carlow, and that the Meeting of the Court
...on the 2nd day of December, 19
...Dated this 19 day of NOVEMBER, 1919.
HUGH O'NEILL,
Hon. Sec., Athy Soldiers' Club.
...STRATION OF CLUBS ACT (1904).
...Notice that on behalf of the CLONTARF
...AND BOAT CLUB I am applying for a Re-
...of Registration.
G. A. CRAWFORD, Hon. Sec.
...Casino, Clontarf.
...21/12/19

CONTRACTS.

...TRADE UNION
...list of Guardians of the above Union will
...a meeting on Wednesday, 17th December, 1919,
...proceed to receive and consider Tenders for a
...Contract for the following Work:—
...from the date of acceptance of Tender to the
...June, 1920, viz.:—
...of Tender can be had from me, and no other
...is entitled need.
...to be delivered, carriage free, at the Work-
...Lansdowne, as may be required, and the
...must be prepared to enter into a Contract
...with two solvent sureties, for the due
...of the contract. Any further information
...of the Contract, or application to see the Work-
...The Guardians do not bind themselves
...lowest or any Tender.
...not to approximately six tons per month.
...Tenders, addressed to the Chairman of the
...Board, and marked on the outside
...for Potatoes," will be received by me up to
...the above-named day.
By Order, PATRICK CUNNIAM,
...Clerk of the Union.
...office, Lougholstown,
...December, 1919.
...SEND DISTRICT ASYLUM.
...SUPPLY OF BEEF AND MUTTON.
...Joint Committee of the Richmond District
...Asylum Tenders for the supply of Beef and
...for the three months ensuing 31st March, 1920.
...and Forms of Tender may be obtained from the
...Office, Richmond Asylum, Dublin.
...of reliable quantities can also be ascer-
...the Storekeeper.
...Tenders, endorsed on the cover "Tender for
...Tender," to be left with the undersigned not
...than 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, December
...for consideration of the Joint Committee on
...next day.
...Joint Committee do not bind themselves to
...lowest or any Tender.
W. J. MURPHY,
...Chief Clerk.
...office, Grangegorman, Dublin.
...30th December, 1919

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

...PROSECUTIONS.—In the Northern ...Court yesterday, before Mr. Cooper, Bridget ...of 36 Lower Dirt street, was fined £2 for an ...of 2d. in the sale of a tin of condensed ...In the sale of milk the maximum price, and was fined ...encouraging for three ages, the price, 1/5, ...in the sale of 5/8 per dozen. James ...Commercial Buildings, Clontarf, and his ...was fined £2 and £1 respectively for a ...in the Southern Police Court ...Elizabeth Sheridan, 29 ...Kilmainham, was summoned for ...2½d for a tin of salmon, being 6d. in ...Mr. Bernard Morrissey, said he was ...the assistant 10.— Margaret Morrissey, ...road, Kilmainham, for making an ...in the price of milk. She was fined ...10s. and costs. The assistant was fined a like amount; and ...having a price list in the shop a fine of ...was imposed.
...ILLICIT BUTTERMILK.—Before Mr. ...in the Northern Police Court yesterday, ...Richmond street, was ...Inspector J. J. O'Dwyer for having on ...of Ringsend road, sold a sample ...which contained 90 per cent. added ...in addition to 25 per cent. allowed for ...purposes: in other words, the analyst ...proved that there were 115 parts water ...parts buttermilk-and-water. The case was ...Mr. Cooper on 11th November and ad- ...then, at Mr. Friery's request, for legal ...Mr. E. Burne appeared for the Pem- ...Urban Council; Mr. Friery defended. ...O'Dwyer proved that on the date in ...he saw a motor van belonging to Mr. ...and driven by Mr. Morgan's son, going ...South Lotts road. He followed it and ...by deliver a 20-gallon churn at an ...situated in Ringsend road, and, asking what ...there, was told that it was buttermilk. ...He then asked for, and took, three samples, ...to the boy retaining one, and sending ...later to the Public Analyst (Sir Charles ...), and the certificate produced was the ...Mr. Friery cross-examined witness with ...to whether or not that it was "buttermilk." ...buttermilk," Mr. Farrelly, manager of ...Co-operative Dairy Society, mentioned that bought the alleged butter- ...milk from a man who had entered into a contract ...defendant for the purchase of buttermilk at ...a gallon, and had never heard of butter- ...being supplied by Mr. Friery to be pro- ...cream, which bore on their face the words ...Rath," but Mr. Farrelly swore that these ...were not on the receipt when he received it. ...he was asked to return the receipt to ...and when it came back again the ...words were added. Mr. Cooper said ...would convict, and impose a penalty of ...on Mr. Friery a case stated if ...to the points raised. Mr. Friery ...he would serve notice for a case stated.
...BUTTER SHORTAGE AT THE PORT.—There ...a large shortage of one dozen pieces ...butter at the Port of Dublin recently that it ...matter of a novelty to learn that yesterday ...of the port were swelling discharge at the ...of the port yesterday. Thirty vessels in ...they had been notified of their contents ...the docks could not be attended to, and as ...of the dock workers were on strike ...short-handed," even further difficulties ...were added to the situation.
...BRITISH AND IRISH LIVE STOCK EX- ...Barbed wire entanglements would be ...to trade combined with the present ...shortage of shipping facilities for ...from the Liffey to cross-Channel ports." ...opinion expressed yesterday by one of the ...exporters who has big consignments ...and is waiting ashamed on his hands ...and feeding, until such time as ...to hand steamer and disembark ...Britain. Other shippers and shippers' ...and near the port have the same com- ...Bake not anxious that the ...most markets in England will be spoiled ...consignments of cattle owing to the ad- ...disease like and dread meat into forced ...under quantity, and to the deterioration ...Irish cattle detained in transit across

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*Royal George ..... Sat. Jan. 31
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Port Chalmers (Freight only) ..... Tues. Dec. 9
Port Albany (Freight only) ..... Sat. Dec. 13
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LONDON TO PHILADELPHIA
Venhonia (Freight only) ..... Thurs. Dec. 11
LONDON TO BALTIMORE.
Copenhagen (Freight only) ..... Sat. Jan. 24
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BRISTOL TO BALTIMORE
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Vellaria (Freight only) ..... Wed. Dec. 10
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On SATURDAY, 20th DECEMBER, 1919,
At the hour of 12 o'clock,
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FARNWORTH & JARDINE,
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On WEDNESDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 1919,
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Catalogues and further particulars will be supplied upon application to the Selling Brokers.

At the Italo-Britannic Institute, Rome, on Thursday, Mr. Francis Rodd, Secretary of the British Embassy, and son of a former British Ambassador, delivered an interesting lecture, illustrated with lantern slides, on the British campaign in Palestine. A distinguished gathering was present, including Sir George Buchanan, the British Ambassador.
The Times says:—We understand that the Government Forestry Committee have concluded negotiations with the Thornthwaite Mining Company for the acquisition of a thousand and eighty acres in the Lake District for the purposes of afforestation. The land, which is admirably adapted to the raising of timber, is to be taken over on a 999 years lease.

AUCTIONS.

COUNTY WESTMEATH.
SALE OF THE VERY VALUABLE MANSION HOUSE OF
MOSSTOWN,
OUT-OFFICES, LANDS and PREMISES.
I HAVE received instructions from Captain A. G. Adamson
TO SELL BY AUCTION,
At 29 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
On WEDNESDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 1919,
At 1 o'clock,
The Following Valuable Residential Property, in One or Two Lots.
PARTICULARS.
LOT 1—The Lands of Mosstown Demesne, containing 140a. 0r. 5p., Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Electoral Division of Kildare, Barony of Rathconrath, and County of Westmeath, and the Lands of Ballycorcher, containing 65a. 3r. 36p., or thereabouts, like measure, situate as aforesaid, being the Lands comprised in Folio No. 2753 of said County, held in Fee-simple subject to an annuity of £108 2/3 payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation, £242.
LOT 2—Part of the Lands of Ballinkeeny or Mosstown, containing 180a. 0r. 5p., or thereabouts, Statute measure, situate in the Electoral Division of Kildare, Barony of Rathconrath, and County of Westmeath, being the Lands comprised in Folio No. 2755 of said County, held in Fee-simple subject to an annuity of £54 7/6, payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation, £165 15/-.
There is an annual Tithe Rent Charge of £19 0/2 payable out of the entire Lands.
The DWELLINGHOUSE is commodious, and built of cut stone, and is suitable for a gentleman's family. The OUT-OFFICES are slated, and capable of stabling a large number of horses and cattle. There is a good walled-in garden. The LANDS are capable of fattening cattle and sheep, and are well watered and sheltered. There is a good demesne wall along by the country road. There is a large quantity of valuable Timber on the Lands.
This Property is within three miles of the M.G.W. Railway Station at Streamstown, distant only ten miles from the important Town of Mullingar, and in the centre of the Westmeath Hunting District.
For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to
EDWARD A. SHAW, Solicitor, 15 South Frederick street, Dublin, and Mullingar; or to
G. H. LENNON,
Auctioneer and Live Stock Salesman,
29 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

COUNTY MEATH.
I HAVE received instructions from A. Gaisford, Esquire, TO LET BY AUCTION (for GRAZING) of Cattle and Sheep only, at ENFIELD TOWN, ENFIELD (within ten minutes' walk of Enfield Railway Station), on MONDAY, the 8th day of December, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, the following divisions of PRIME FATTENING LAND, for Eleven Months, ending 1st December, 1920:—

	A.	R.	P.
WOODCROFT	17	1	37
MEANIS	27	2	35
PARK MEANIS	21	1	0
COWSLIP	21	3	0

The Lands will be herded in the usual way, but the Owner will not be responsible for Loss or Accident of any description.
Terms:—£1 per acre deposit, and approved bills for the balance, payable 30th September 1920, and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.
G. H. LENNON,
Auctioneer and Live Stock Salesman,
29 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

TWO CHOICE FARM HOMES
AND
RESIDENTIAL HOLDINGS
FOR SALE.
MURPHY BROTHERS have received instructions from Patrick J. MacArdle, Esq., to dispose of his Interest and Goodwill by PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Lands at CRAANS and ARDATTIN, his two Holdings, CRAANS and ARDATTIN,
On THURSDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1919,
At Four o'clock.
PARTICULARS.
CRAANS RESIDENTIAL HOLDING, comprising 18 acres 2 roods and 24 perches, Statute measure, or less, held subject to an annuity of £41 3/3, payable to the Irish Land Commission. All under Grass, except 2½ acres Tillage, suitable for green crop, and 5 acres newly laid down hay seeds meadow; well fenced, watered, and sheltered, and considered exceptionally good Land.
The Residence is very substantially built, and comprises seven apartments, hall, and kitchen; with large garden adjoining, stocked with fruit trees, vegetables, etc.; standing in a lawn of 5 acres, with pleasure ground in front, nicely planted with ornamental shrubs, etc.; very pretty, and commanding a charming view.
Out-offices, consisting of stabling for 4 horses and cows, barn, piggery, and feeding house for 20 head, piggery for keep of 30, and fine boiler house adjoining, calf shed, car sheds, barn, coach-house, hay barn, and loft over, all 3 yrs., capable of holding 70 tons; free in seven years at £2 5/6 half-yearly; large haggard and enclosed yard, with well, pump, dairy with "Pierce" horse gear complete.
ARDATTIN HOLDING comprises 34 acres 2 roods and 3 perches, Statute, more or less, of the yearly judicial rent of £114. Poor Law Valuation, £19 10/-. Lands in Grass, excepting 2 acres Tillage, and 5 acres newly laid down meadow, and 2 acres manured land for corn. Dwellinghouse, Cottage, and Buildings, used by the Department for Agricultural Instruction, adjoining Ardattin R.C. Church and Schools. A tempting, valuable purchase.
Both Holdings

ESTABLISHED 1815. 'PHONES 48 & 49.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

PROPERTY SALE.
AT OUR ESTATE SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST.,
THURSDAY NEXT, AT 1.30.

27 N.C. ROAD (BELMONT TERRACE).
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Just beside Park gate. Attractive Modern House, non-basement, contains tiled porch, leaded lights, 4 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s, etc. The house is fitted with modern grates and bay windows, and is in good order. The walls have been prepared for papering, so that purchaser may complete according to taste. Held for a term of 470 years at £5 10/- per annum. P.L.V., £39. Key No. 73.
Messrs. REDDIN and REDDIN, Solicitors, 3 Westmoreland street.

7 ST. JOHN'S RD., SANDYMOUNT.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Attractive Cottage style House, containing 3 apartments, bath (h. and c.), w.c.; nice garden front and rear.
Held for 96 years from 1907, subject to £4 per annum. Immediate possession to purchaser. Key at No. 8.
Messrs. JOYNT and CRAWFORD, Solicitors, 1 and 2 Foster place, Dublin.

"DRUMKEEN," 2 HANNAVILLE PARK, TERENURE.
SEMI-DETACHED. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Attractive modern House, without basement. Contains tiled porch, leaded lights, 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), and lavatory basin, 2 w.c.'s, etc.; linen press (heated), tiled kitchen, scullery (h. and c.), pantries, etc. The house is fitted with modern grates, and is in perfect order, having been recently redecorated. Nice garden, conservatory, bicycle house, tool shed, coal house, etc.; 2 side entrances. Held free of all rent for 800 years. P.L.V., £25. Seen 12 to 4 o'clock any day.
Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Solicitors, 18 Suffolk street.

34 RAYMOND TCE., S.C. ROAD.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
OPPORTUNITY FOR ANYONE REQUIRING COMPACT RESIDENCE.
Double fronted Cottage style House, with gardens front and rear, containing 5 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, h. and c., w.c., gas.
Held for a term of 900 years, subject to £3 16s. 6d. per annum. P.L.V. £25.

20 EMOR ST., S.C. ROAD.
Cottage style House, containing 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, w.c.; garden front and rear.
Held for a term of 139 years, subject to a rent of £7 16/6 per annum, but indemnified against £5 18/5 by No. 21 Emor street, adjoining. The premises are let at £47 per annum, paid monthly. P.L.V., £21.
Messrs. GEORGE DREVAR POTTERELL & SONS, Solicitors, 45 Fleet street.

102, 103, & 106 LEINSTER RD., RATHMINES.
COMFORTABLE COTTAGE STYLE HOUSES,
IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.
Each containing hall, diningroom, drawingroom, 3 bedrooms, servant's room, w.c., kitchen, with close range; fairsized garden. Each held subject to £5 per annum for 900 years. No. 102 let at £55 and the taxes, tenant doing internal repairs, and No. 103 let at £47 10/0 per annum. No. 106 is let on yearly tenancy at £44, payable monthly. P.L.V., £26 each.
T. F. MONKS, LL.D., Solicitor, 27 Molesworth street.

31, 32 ELM PARK AV., RANELAGH.
TOGETHER OR SEPARATELY.
Compact modern non-basement Houses, conveniently situated, containing 5 apartments, bath (hot and cold), electric light. Held under lease for 999 years, subject to £3 7/- each. P.L.V., £17. Both are underlet at £36 yearly.
Messrs. H. T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, 24 Clare street.

56 PALMERSTON RD.
ATTRACTIVE HOUSE WITH GOOD ACCOMMODATION.
CONVENIENTLY SITUATED ON TRAM LINE.
Containing diningroom, drawingroom, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.) garden.
Held for a term of 900 years, subject to £5 10/0. At present let at £70 per annum, owner paying taxes. Seen by appointment with Auctioneers.

12 SERPENTINE TCE., SERPENTINE AVE.
Cottage style House, conveniently situated to tram and train; at present under let at £35 per annum and held for a term of 435 years at £5 per annum.
JAMES L. BURKE, Solicitor, 63 Upper Sackville street.

61 BRIGHTON ROAD, RATHGAR.
WITH POSSESSION.
Attractive Semi-detached, Two-storeyed Villa Residence, non-basement, bay window, containing: 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, 1 servant's room, bath (hot and cold), gas; good garden; rear and side entrance.
Held under lease for 999 years, subject to £8 10/0 per annum. P.L.V., £38. Seen from 3 to 4
Messrs. JAMES O'CONNOR and CO., 57 Dame street, Dublin.

25, 26, 27 CORNMARKET.
SHOPS AND HOUSES SITUATE IN BUSY THOROUGHFARE. IN 1 OR MORE LOTS.
Nos. 25 and 26 held under Estate Court Conveyance in fee-simple. P.L.V., £38.
No. 27 is held for 29 years from 1892, with option of renewal.
The entire property is subject to a rent of £12 1/6. Nos. 25 and 26 are let at £50 and the taxes. No let at £30 and the taxes.
JOHN WHITE, Solicitor, 5 Westmoreland street.

19, 19A SANDWITH ST.
BESIDE WESTLAND ROW STATION.
HELD FREE OF RENT FOR EVER. Large Yard and Lofts. Stabling for 7 horses.

2 & 4 ERNE TCE., OFF ERNE ST.
Two-storeyed Cottage and Yard, with good loft, etc. Stabling for 3 horses. Also cottage at rear, at present occupied by Mr. Ryan at 9/- per week, and cottage at rear let at 4/6 weekly. Held for a term of 900 years. Subject to £4 16s. 6d. for the two.
JAMES L. BURKE, Solicitor, 63 Upper Sackville street.

MONDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1919.

BRADFORD ESTATE, DUNDALK.
IN ONE OR MORE LOTS, AT TOWN HALL, DUNDALK at 12 o'clock.
4 HOUSES & 17 COTTAGES, WITH FIELD OF 2 ACRES AT RERE.
The above property, situate in Dublin street, in the main entrance to this thriving commercial and industrial town. The Houses are built of red brick, and contain parlour, kitchen, scullery, 2 bedrooms, enamelled yard; good garden. P.L.V., £7 each.
The entire are held for ever, subject to a rent of £16 5/0 for the lot.
Messrs. HENRY and SON, Solicitors, 11 Molesworth street.

G. R.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.
BY THE DIRECTION OF THE DISPOSAL BOARD.
PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

SURPLUS STORES & EQUIPMENT.
AT OUR SALEROOMS,
WEDNESDAY, 17TH DECEMBER.

WE have been instructed by the DISPOSAL BOARD to SELL BY AUCTION a large quantity of surplus Stores and Equipment, as follows:—Weighing Machines, Spring Balances, Steel Yards (up to 3cwts.), Cross-cut Saws, Corn Bins, Coal Boxes, Deastalch Boxes, Copper Stock Pots, Fuel Heating Stoves, Scrubbing Brushes, Tables, Forms, Lockers, Toilet Glasses, Towel Rails, Cupboards, large Ward Tables, Clothing Chests, Lamps and Candlesticks, and various Kitchen Utensils, Stable and Garden Forks, Rakes, etc., and other Miscellaneous Lots.

1920.
Our next Property Sale will take place
ON THURSDAY, 8TH JANUARY, 1920,
and will include the following:—

FRANK CALLAGHAN, DECEASED.
"SANDRINGHAM," 36 LEESON PARK,
WITH POSSESSION.
11 DAME STREET.
VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES.
Messrs. GERRARD and CO., Solicitors, 25 Westmoreland street.

"YALTA," SILCHESTER RD., GLENAGEARY.
Messrs. BEAUCHAMP and ORR, Solicitors, Foster place.

CORISH ESTATE, BLACKROCK,
PROFIT RENTS, ETC., OUT OF EXCELLENT BUSINESS PREMISES,
Nos. 16, 18, 20, 22, 24 MAIN ST., BLACKROCK.
Messrs. M. J. O'CONNOR, Solicitors, Wexford.

FAWCETT BLAKE ESTATE.
£101 PER ANNUM, A MOIETY OF RENT OUT OF
LANDS AT PHILPOTTSTOWN, CO. MEATH.
Messrs. CRANE and HOULIHAN, Solicitors, Ballyhaunis, Co. Mayo.

MASSEY WHEELER & BARRINGTON ESTATE
WELL SECURED GROUND AND PROFIT RENTS ARISING OUT OF THE UNDERNOTED
VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES IN CITY OF DUBLIN.
25 DAME STREET.
15 MERRION ROW, ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN.
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23 & 24 ELY PLACE.
120 & 121 LOWER BAGGOT STREET.
Messrs. HOEY and DENNING, Solicitors, 12 Trinity street.

ABSOLUTELY SECURED HEAD RENT OF £56 9s. 6D. PER ANNUM
ARISING OUT OF
"MARIANELLA," ORWELL RD., RATHGAR,
HEAD RENT OF £10 PER ANNUM OUT OF
No. 2 ROSTREVOR TERRACE, RATHGAR.
Messrs. BROWN and McCANN, 93 Angiesea street.

2 CROSTHWAITE PARK, STH., KINGSTOWN
WITH POSSESSION.
LONG LEASE, FREE OF RENT.

(CONTINUED ON NEXT COLUMN.)

G. R.
MINISTRY OF MUNITIONS.
BY ORDER OF THE DISPOSAL BOARD.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION OF

SIXTY-THREE ARMY MOTOR VEHICLES
AND
NINETY-SIX MOTOR CYCLES.

MESSRS. BENNETT AND SON
WILL SELL BY AUCTION AT PORTOBELLO BARRACKS, DUBLIN
(GROVE ROAD ENTRANCE),
ON TUESDAY, THE 9TH DECEMBER, 1919, AT 1 O'C, PRECISELY,
THIRTY-TWO TOURING CARS.
(SUNBEAM, DAIMLER, SIDDELEY-DEASY, ARROL JOHNSTON, STUDEBAKER, and FORD).
SEVEN HEAVY MOTOR LORRIES.
(NAPIER, MAUDSLAY, KARRIER, DAIMLER, FIAT, and STRAKER).
TWENTY-FOUR LIGHT MOTOR VANS.
(WILLY, TALBOT, STUDEBAKER, AUSTIN, GARFORD, and DAIMLER).
THREE AMBULANCE VANS (STUDEBAKER), AND
NINETY-SIX 4-H.P. AND 2¾-H.P. MOTOR CYCLES
(TRIUMPH, DOUGLAS, RUDGE, and JAMES),
WHICH CAN BE VIEWED ON MONDAY NEXT, BY CATALOGUE ONLY, PRICE 1s. EACH, ADMITTING TO SALE TO BE HAD ON APPLICATION TO THE AUCTIONEERS.
PURCHASERS WILL NOT BE REQUIRED TO PAY AUCTION FEES.
BENNETT & SON,
6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ON VIEW MONDAY NEXT.

SILVER PLATE AND JEWELS.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON WILL SELL BY AUCTION, at their GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,
ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, 10TH DEC., 1919, COMMENCING AT 12 O'C.
ABOUT 3,000 OUNCES OF OLD AND MODERN SILVER,
Including:—A George I. Porringer, 1715; an old Irish Dish Ring, chased and reposse; 8 three-pronged Forks, 1730; a two-handle Cup and Cover, Newcastle, 1790; a 14" Circular Waiter, with scroll border, London, 1747; old Tripod, Circular, and Oval Salt Cellars, pair plain Caps, Dublin, 1780; plain and chased Sauce Boats, and Cream Ewers; Tea and Coffee Services, a chased Inkstand, London, 1780; Spoons and Forks of various patterns, Tea Caddies, Cigarette Boxes, Table Clocks, Candlesticks, and other useful and decorative items.

VALUABLE JEWELS,
Including:—A number of important Half-hoop, Single Stone and Cluster Rings, set with diamonds, sapphires, and pearls; a fine Brilliant and Tourmaline Pendant, a FIVE-ROW PEARL NECKLET, a pair of Single Stone Diamond Earrings, a Diamond and Sapphire Half-moon Brooch, a Watch Bracelet with Diamonds set in Platinum; Gold Bags and Purses, Lady's and Gentlemen's Gold Keyless Watches, Bracelets, Brooches, Earrings, and Scarf Pins, set with precious stones; a Miniature in Gold Frame, surrounded by old Brazilian Diamonds; a Gentleman's Travelling Case, with gold mounts, etc.
OLD SHEFFIELD AND ELECTRO-PLATED WARE,
AND OTHER ITEMS OF VALUE,
FROM KELLY'S, 48 FLEET STREET.
CATALOGUES OF WHICH MAY BE HAD ON APPLICATION.
BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UP. ORMOND QUAY.

ON VIEW MONDAY NEXT.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON beg to announce that they WILL SELL BY AUCTION, at their GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,
ON THURSDAY NEXT, THE 11TH DECEMBER, 1919,
COMMENCING AT TWELVE O'CLOCK,
ABOUT 2,000 OUNCES OF OLD SILVER PLATE,
Including:—A George II. two-handle Porringer, a Pair of two-handle Cups, chased and reposse, with exotic birds and fruit, Dublin, 1765; a Pair of Pierced Coasters, chased in Rococo and Strapwork design; old Irish Tripod Bowls and Ewers, a Geo. III. King's Pattern Table Service, Tea and Coffee Pots, Waiters, and other Useful Items.
OLD SHEFFIELD AND ELECTRO-PLATED WARE,
JEWELLERY,
Including a Half-hoop Bracelet, 7x4 with 11 Brilliants; Diamond Heart and Coronet Brooch, Antique Amethyst and Pearl Locket, Lady's Gold Bag, Diamond and Sapphire Half-hoop Rings, Amethyst and Diamond Pendant, Gold Repeating and Keyless Watches, Seed Pearl Suite and Necklet, etc., Catalogues of which can be had on application to
BENNETT & SON. AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 Up. Ormond Quay, Dublin.

ON VIEW MONDAY.

OLD IRISH GLASS.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON are favoured with instructions from HENRY C. DRURY, Esq., M.D., TO SELL BY AUCTION,
AT THEIR GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,
ON THURSDAY, THE 11TH DECEMBER, 1919,
AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.
HIS COLLECTION OF OLD CUT GLASS,
FORMING IN ITS ENTIRETY PROBABLY THE MOST IMPORTANT EVER OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
And including many unique specimens, of which the following is a brief resume:—A finely cut Jug, of gallon capacity, presented to the Mayor of Waterford in 1808 by the Waterford Glass Works; a number of important Boat-shaped, Circular, and Oval Bowls; a pair of Vase-shaped Compotiers, with Covers, 10" high; a Quatrefoil Centre-piece, on circular base; Piggins' Globular and Vase-shaped Water Jugs, of fine quality; a Table Service, including Goblets, Wine Glasses, and Flutes; numerous Decanters of varied designs; a large Circular Revolving Table Waiter, Candlesticks, Finger Bowls and Coolers, Egg Cups, Boat-shaped and Circular Salt Cellars, Sugar Bowls, Honey and Preserve Pots, Bonbonnieres, Caraffes, Circular and Oval Dishes, Butter Coolers, Sarar Vases, and other items of interest and value.
ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUES, price 1/- each, may be had on application to
BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 Up. Ormond quay, Dublin.

ON VIEW MONDAY.

WORKS OF ART.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON will SELL BY AUCTION, at their GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,
ON FRIDAY, THE 12TH DECEMBER, 1919,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,
ANTIQUE FURNITURE, including:—A Chippendale Mahogany Display Cabinet, on carved fretwork supports; a Georgian Break-front Bookcase, old Sheraton and Georgian Sideboards, Louis XVI. Settee and pair of Fauteuils, Chippendale and Sheraton Card Tables, Hepplewhite and Sheraton Mahogany Metal Tables, carved in the chippendale taste; Bracket and Grandfather Clocks.
PORCELAIN, including:—Old Chelsea and Dresden Figures, a finely Decorated Worcester Dessert Service, a Dinner Service of Mason's Stone China (160 pieces), old Staffordshire Groups and Figures.
A FEW PIECES OF OLD IRISH GLASS, OIL PAINTINGS, in the oil and modern schools, including a work by SIR JOHN LAVERY, R.A., entitled "Evening: The Coast of Spain" (presented by the Artist, to be sold for the benefit of Mercer's Hospital); Mezzotint Portraits, after Sir J. Reynolds, Hoppner, G. Stuart, Lioisrd, and others,
CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION TO
BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 Up. Ormond Quay, Dublin

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
MESSRS. BENNETT AND SON
Beg to announce that they WILL SELL BY AUCTION,
AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,
ON THURSDAY, THE 18TH DECEMBER, 1919,
A VALUABLE LIBRARY OF MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,
THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE NATHANIEL HONE, R.A.,
IN THE CHOICEST CONDITION AND BINDINGS, INCLUDING MANY IMPORTANT WORKS ON THE FINE ARTS, viz.:—
Sir Walter Armstrong's Turner, Raeburn, Hogarth, and Sir Joshua Reynolds; Chaloner Smith's British Mezzotint Portraits, 4 Vols.; Gallerie de Florence et du Palais Pitti, 4 Vols., folio; Vasari's Lives of the Painters, Pennell's Whistler, Stevenson's Velasquez, Waltmann's History of Painting, etc.; Handsomely Bound Library Editions of Shakespeare, Beaumont and Fletcher, Scott, Burke, Gibbon, Strickland, Prescott and Macaulay, Monstrelet and Froissart's Chronicles, Baskerville, Milton, Dorny's History of Rome, 6 Vols.; Carte's Life of Ormonde, Clarendon's Rebellion, and other works relating to the History and Antiquities of Ireland.
CATALOGUES OF WHICH MAY BE HAD ON APPLICATION A WEEK PRECEDING SALE.
BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.

SALE BY AUCTION.
JAMES HILL & SON
WILL OFFER
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, WITHIN THEIR OLD-ESTABLISHED GALLERIES,
10. 11. 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.
ON THIS DAY (SATURDAY),
AND, IN CONTINUATION, ON MONDAY NEXT,
AT ONE O'CLOCK, BOTH DAYS,
HIGH-CLASS MODERN FURNITURE.
Including:—Pianoforte, by Broadwood, Brard, and R. Allen and Sons; beautiful 5ft. Rosewood China Cabinet, fine old French Cabinet, five massive Spanish Mahogany Enclosed and Pedestal Sideboards, with mirror and plain backs; magnificent 7ft. 6in. Mahogany Bookcase, and another 4ft. 6in. do.; two fine Chesterfield Settees, Lounge and Easy Chairs, four Dominos, Mahogany Telescope Dining Tables, 6 to 12 feet, several elegant Mahogany and Walnut Cabinets and Chiffoniers, Circular, Oval, and Occasional Centre Tables, Sets of Dining and Drawingroom Chairs, Sofas, Couches, and Carving Chairs, two magnificent 6ft. 6in. Glass-door Mahogany Wardrobes, pair of exceptional Duchess Toilet Tables, Chests of Drawers, 4ft. 6in. Dark Walnut Bedroom Suite, another 3ft. 6in. Satin Walnut do., several Double and Single Wardrobes, in Mahogany, Walnut, and Deal Woods, Dressing Tables, Washstands, noble Mahogany and Walnut Overmantels, Hall Stands and Chairs; also beautiful 7ft. 6in. Jeweller's Show Case, and smaller do., 2 Milner Safes, one with cabinet; Bicycles, Gramophones, Perambulators, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Combination Bedsteads, Wire, Hair and Wool Mattresses, superior Bedding, large assortment of useful Kitchen and Deal Furniture, Paintings, Pictures, Glass Ware, and China Ornaments and useful Domestic Effects.
Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees.
JAMES HILL AND SON.
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
10, 11, AND 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.

(CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS COLUMN.)

4 CROSTHWAITE PARK, STH., KINGSTOWN
WITH POSSESSION.
LONG LEASE, FREE OF RENT
Messrs. BROWN and McCANN, 93 Angiesea street.

23 CLYDE ROAD.
PROPERTY—DARTMOUR SQUARE.
"ABERDELGHY," HOWTH.
WITH POSSESSION
Messrs. FRY and SONS, Solicitors, Lower Mount street.

And we shall be glad to have early instructions from Solicitors and others of Lots which they may desire to have included.

BATTERSBY & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,
39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

MacARTHUR AND CO.'S SALES.

AUCTION FRIDAY NEXT, 12TH DEC.

POSSESSION.
58 ST. PATRICK'S ROAD, DRUMCONDRA.
Situated on best part of road, near St. Alphonsus road. Capital two-storeyed House, with red brick front. Parlour, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, breakfast room, w.c.; railed plot in front; garden at rear. Ground rent, £4. Long lease.
W. P. MAGUIRE, Esq., Solicitor, Enniskillen.

POSSESSION.
98 AMIENS STREET
(ONE OF THE RANGE HAVING LARGE GARDEN IN FRONT).
CHEERFUL AND CONVENIENT POSITION.
About half a mile from G.P.O. Substantially built House, containing 3 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, with close range; hot bath, servant's room, 2 w.c.'s, scullery, pantry, etc. Garden front and rear. Additional side entrance. Clear vacant possession. Head rent (adjusted), £6 2/-. Lease, 200 years, from 1843.
P. M. SEALIS, Esq., Solicitor, 11 College Green.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. GROOME, DECEASED.
15 & 16 GREENVILLE TERRACE, S.C. ROAD.
In avenue fronting Wellington Barracks. Two neat Cottage Houses, each containing three rooms and kitchen, also garden. Let at £24 each. Head rent, £5 for the two. Lease 900 years. There is a great demand in this neighbourhood for houses of the kind.
JOHN MORAN, Esq., Solicitor, 34 Lower Ormond quay.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. COTTAGE PROPERTY.
22, 23, 24, 25 INNISFALLEN PARADE.
Four one-storeyed Cottages, just off Lower Dorset street, each containing 4 neat apartments. Ground rent on Lot, £8. Lease, 900 years. Let at 7/6 each. The demand for this kind of property greatly exceeds the supply.
JOHN MORAN, Esq., Solicitor, 34 Lower Ormond quay.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. TWO GOOD SUBURBAN HOUSES.
3 & 5 BOTANIC AVENUE, GLASNEVIN.
Situated in salubrious district, two minutes from tram line, and close to Botanic Gardens. Two comfortable, two-storeyed Houses, each containing 6 apartments; extensive garden at rear, extending to Tolka. Head rent, £8 8/- for the two. Lease, 999 years. Let at £30 each.
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Four compact two-storeyed Houses (to be sold in Lots), with railed plot in front and good gardens at rear, also rear entrances. Each House contains sittingroom, diningroom, 3 good bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, usual out-offices. No. 11 has electric light. Each House is let at £2 6s. 6d. monthly, tenant paying taxes. Head rent, £3 19s. 3d. each. Held for ever, fee-farm grant.
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Two good three-storeyed Houses. Let to weekly tenants, estimated to produce a gross yearly rental of £65 17s. 4d. Ground Rent, £3 18s. 0d. Lease, 500 years. Premises are centrally situated, and would form a very profitable investment for a small capitalist.

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6, 8, 10, 14, 16 NEWGROVE AVENUE, SANDYMOUNT.
No. 6 is a double-fronted Cottage, containing 6 apartments and garden. Let at 8/- weekly.
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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
AUCTION FRIDAY, 16TH JANUARY, 1920.
WILL INCLUDE TWO SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCES,
"ROSEBANK" AND "NORTHBANK," CLONTARF.
30 LOWER BRIDGE STREET. POSSESSION.
PROPERTY, HAVELOCK SQUARE, SANDYMOUNT.
PROPERTY, NORTH SUMMER STREET.
The favour of early instructions is respectfully requested from Owners, Solicitors, and others desirous of having other Lots included.

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PROPERTY SALE, ON WEDNESDAY NEXT,
AT 1.15 O'CLOCK SHARP,
AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, SOUTH GT. GEORGE'S STREET.

Nos. 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 UPPER LEESON STREET.
NO. 18 LET TO A TENANT WHOSE AGREEMENT EXPIRED IN OCTOBER LAST.
NO. 19 LET UNTIL SEPTEMBER 1st, 1920.
NO. 20 LET UNTIL FEBRUARY 1st, 1920.
NO. 21 LET UNTIL MARCH, 1920.
NO. 22 LET UNTIL JANUARY, 1920.
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A TERRACE OF SOUNDLY-BUILT HOUSES
on this favourite road, let to solvent tenants, as follows:—No. 19 at £75 for three years from 1st June, 1919; No. 21 and No. 23 to yearly tenants at £65, No. 25 for five years from 1st April, 1918, at £65; No. 27 is let to a yearly tenant at £65. No. 29 for five years from 10th December, 1917, at £70. To be Sold separately, subject to a head rent of £25 each. P.L. Valuation, £31 and £33. Lease for ever.
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invested in 5 per cent. War Loan, payable on the death of a husband and wife aged 44 and 48 years respectively.

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amounting to about £500 per annum, now invested in various Corporation Stock. The age of the Vendor is 31, and the payments will commence at the death of the survivor of two lives, now aged 65 and 64 respectively, and will cease on the death of the Vendor. An Assurance on his Life for the sum of £600 (annual premium £14 7/6) will be included in the Sale.
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AUCTION ON FRIDAY NEXT,
AT 12 O'CLOCK, AT
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About 40ft. of 9in. Marble Slabs, 3ft. 6ins. wide, on cast iron uprights, with red deal supports; Large Slab of 14in. Marble, 10ft. 9ins. x 3ft. 4ins.; 38ft. of 1in. Marble, 16ins. wide, on metal brackets; large quantity of Metal Hanging Bars; 2 Zinc Lined Chests, Lead Lined Troughs, White Glazed Bricks, very fine Shop Partition and Office, made of Mahogany and Glass, fitted with dishes and mirrors; also Glass Partition, about 12ft. high and 16ft. long; Fire Proof Safe.

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(THE DATE HAS BEEN POSTPONED FROM DECEMBER 9th).
HAVING SOLD THE PREMISES, WE ARE INSTRUCTED BY T. FALLS, Esq., TO SELL THE FURNITURE AT
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THE SALE WILL COMMENCE WITH THE OUTDOOR EFFECTS AT 11.30 O'CLOCK SHARP.
Chesterfield Inlaid Drawingroom Cabinet, Inlaid Music Seat, Set of 8 Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs, Set of 7 Walnut-frame do., in Tapestry; Inlaid Arm Chairs, Walnut-frame do., Wicker Chairs, Oval Top Walnut Table, Brass Floor Lamp, Table Lamps, Brass Curb Pierced Brass Fender, Ebonised Open Bookcase, Enclosed Mahogany Ingle China Press, Pair Antique Chairs, Cushions, Several Pairs Bracket Lamps, Arcade and other Curtains, Marble Top Hall Table, Barometer, in inlaid mahogany case; Screen, Axminster and other Carpets, Stair Carpeting and Rods, Bronze Figures and Ornaments, Invalids' Adjustable Chairs, Mahogany Sofa Table, Mantel and French Clocks, Rosewood Writing Table, Walnut Cabinet Couch, Overmantels, Hanging Lamp, Mahogany Wardrobes, do. Chest of Drawers, do. Wash Stands, Toilet Mirrors, & Brass and Iron Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Oil Paintings and Engravings, Inlaid Ash Bedroom Suite Bonfoir Mirror, 2 Ingle Wardrobes, Combination Dressing Chest and Wash Stand, in satin walnut; Gent.'s Mahogany Wardrobe, Falling-Leaf Mahogany Table, Dinner Service, Glass and China, Kitchen and Servants' Room Furniture, 2 large P.P. Presses, Mangle, Metal Roller, Water Ballast do., Wheel Barrow, Water Barrow, Garden Tools, Pennsylvania Mower, Out Bib, 9 Garden Seats, 2 Sets Pony Working Harness, Pony Boots, Ladders, Greenhouse Plants.

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